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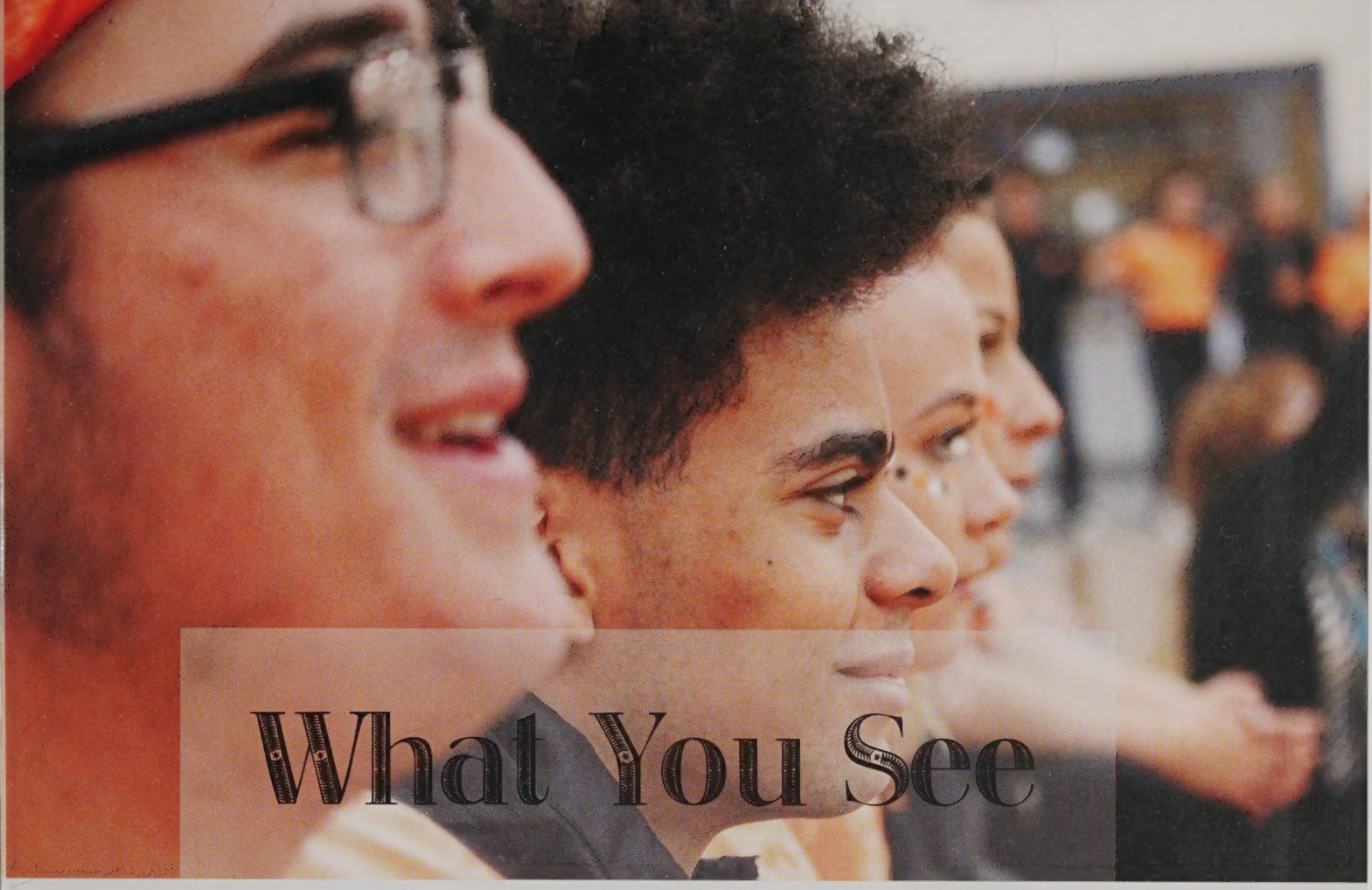

What You See

A new year, a new you, a new chance to show your abilities and talents. We are often told to look ahead and not look back, embrace our future and not our past. But, what if along the way to achieving our success, we look back to appreciate the moments that got us there? The times in life that were not picture perfect, that maybe contained our less than proud moments, and shards of what we had hoped would be. Would we see our guilt, hurt, and shame, or would we see how we have grown, matured, and above all survived and been shaped into a new version of ourselves?

In Japan, broken items are seen as beautiful, their cracks being filled with gold to accent their flaws. The perspective that imperfection should be celebrated, different is beautiful, and that flaws should be put on display shows the ways that we can take what has happened, what is yet to come and see it through a new lens. The bad grade on the test shows where we can improve, rather than where we failed. The loss of a game shows what we can strive to achieve, rather than the distance we still have to go. By changing our perspective, we change our path and road to success.

"It's not what you look at that matters, it's what you see."
-Henry David Thoreau

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The Class Queen

This years book is dedicated to someone that is more than deserving of it - Miss Castonguay. Without her, the class of 2020, student council, the bowling team, yearbook and the school would not be as enjoyable as it is. She is the best shoulder to cry on and the best helping hand anyone could ask for. If you haven't been graced with her presence, you're truly missing out because she honestly brings sunshine wherever she goes. Miss Castonguay puts her whole heart into anything and everything she does, and it most certainly does not go unnoticed.

We Love You!

Miss Castonguay is that person that you can compare to a 2-in-1 shampoo and conditioner. Except it's like 8-in-1 -- librarian, teacher, counselor, coach, comedian, adviser, artist, and printer technician. Without her, the class of 2020 would be a wreck, and so would our deck the halls gingerbread house. She's always there to give advice, write a letter of recommendation, or draw out a whole poster for you. I am so lucky that at my time at Oxford High School, I was able to meet such a remarkable individual. She has touched the lives of so many past and present students in addition to her colleagues. Oxford would be such a different place without Miss Castonguay's spirit and energy (and costume genius).

Peyton Coonan

Miss Castonguay is a kind and caring teacher that won't hesitate to look after others. She is always there to lend an ear and give advice to anyone. Miss Castonguay is grounded, but, at the same time, isn't afraid to tell you to reach for the stars and go as far as you can. On top of being caring, she's also incredibly hardworking and steps up to take on roles that others aren't as willing to take on.

Conor Higgins

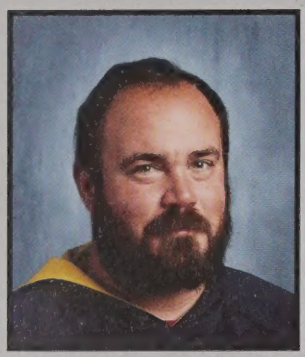
Miss Castonguay has had a huge impact on my life. I wouldn't be the person I am today without her guidance - she pushes me to be the best version of myself. I will be forever thankful for the lessons she has taught me. I have learned how to be a better leader through her and she is someone I will always look up to. I always know that I can turn to her with any issue and she can find a way to help. I know that wherever I go in life, she will be there, hypothetically in the stands, cheering me on. She is a standout person and will somehow change the World.

Molly Cook

Many words pop into my mind when asked how to describe Miss Castonguay. To describe her simply, she is the heart of Oxford High School and the class of 2020. She is the only lit bulb on a string of lights. Quite literally located in the heart of our high school, she breaks her back for our class, our athletic programs, and our Student Council. Personally, Miss Catsonguay has been the backbone of my 4 years in Oxford. She has been a friend, inspiration, and equal. Her uniqueness, killer music taste, warm personality, and craft savvy are some of her most amazing qualities. Although small in stature, she is full of so much more. Myself and many of my peers graduating will severely miss her smile, her spirit, and her love for our class. Thank you, Miss Castonguay, for not only being my biggest influence but for improving the lives of many of the people in Oxford High School.

Samantha Meech

Our Fearless Leaders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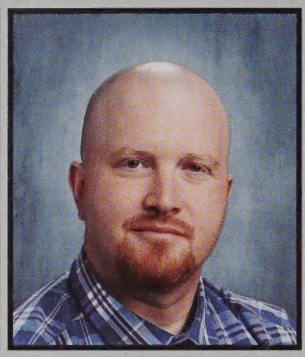
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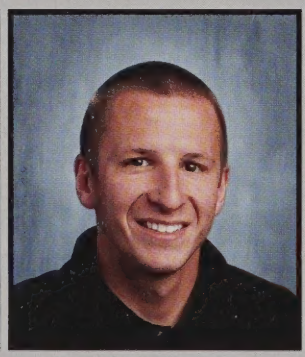
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Katie Cameron

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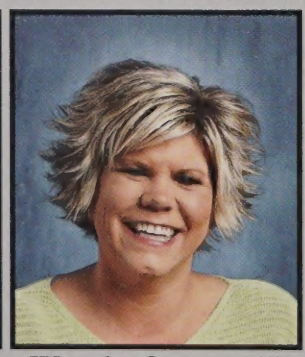
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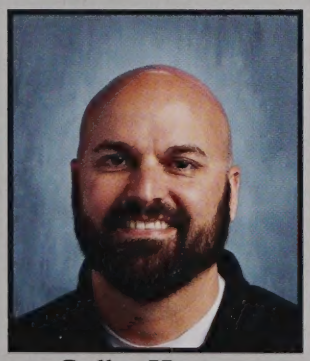

Colby Harvey

Patricia Hokanson

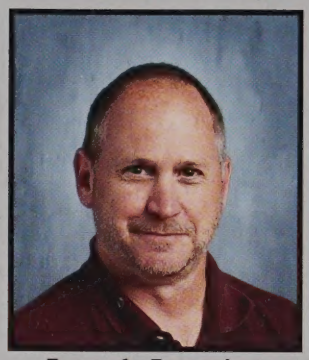
What was it like when YOU were in high school?

Ms. Castonguay:
"iPods and MP3 players were becoming popular when I was in high school. However, during the early years, I used to have to bring a walkman on the bus for field trips or if I wanted to listen to music before a field hockey game. Not fun only being able to bring a couple CDs and having them skip on a bumpy bus ride!"

BACK in the DAY

Mrs. Looney:
"If we needed to call home, there was a PAY phone!"

Ms. Looby:
"Social media was just emerging and iPhones were still relatively new. If you were an athlete you were also incredibly smart because athletes always had to make honor roll or get kicked off."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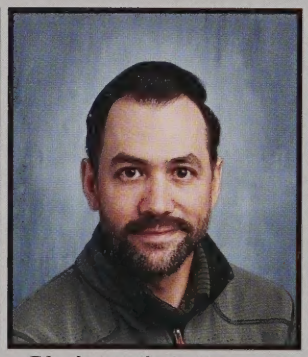
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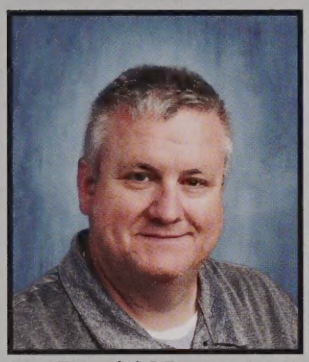
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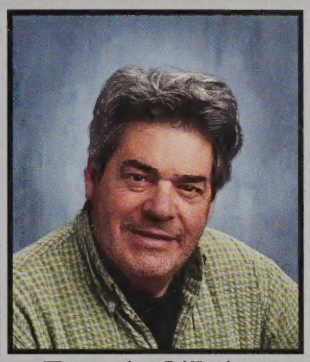
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Michael O`Brien

Kadion Phillips

Christopher Pietro

Kimberly Pimentel

Kristina Provenzano

Justin Richards

Stephanie Ripley

Aimee Russo

Sarah Rutkiewicz

Ms. Russo:
"We didn't do as many fun activities in class - it was mainly just lecture.We also didn't know our grades because teachers only had them as a hard copy."

Mrs. Rutkiewicz:
"Going to stores that sold CDs was a really popular thing - you had to buy physical copies of albums in order to have the music you wanted to listen to."

Ms. Nugent:
"I was never close to my teachers the way the students here are close with theirs. I also never had a smart phone!"

Back Then...

Mrs. Taborda:
"The internet was just gaining popularity in homes and we didn't have cell phones. There was no social media so people interacted more in person or actually talked on the phone. When I needed to learn about something, I would use an encyclopedia because Google didn't exist."

Irene Shannon

Patricia Spitz

Kara Stockhaus

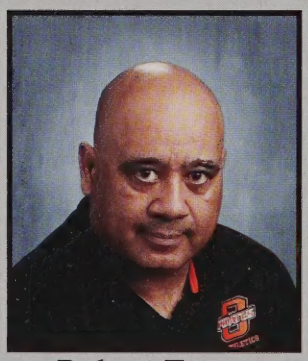
Leslie Sullivan

Jaimee Taborda

Kerry Tatum

Sharon Thyden

Julie Tremblay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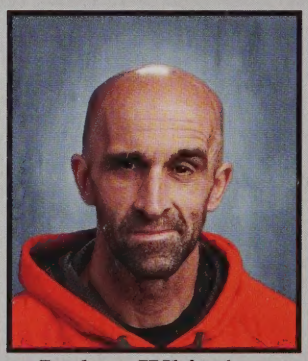
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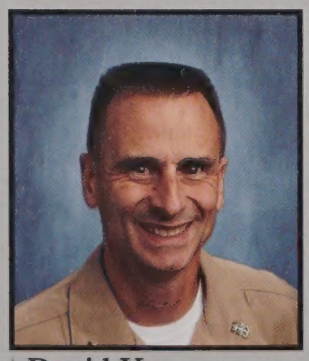
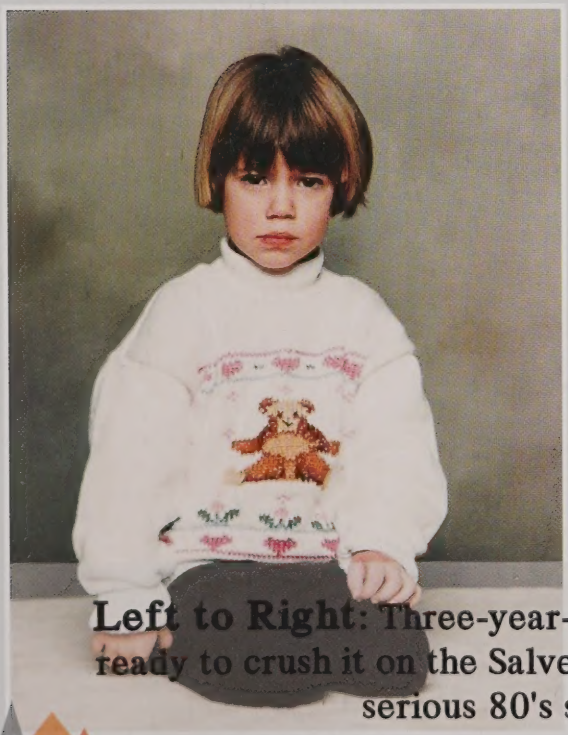

David Youngsman

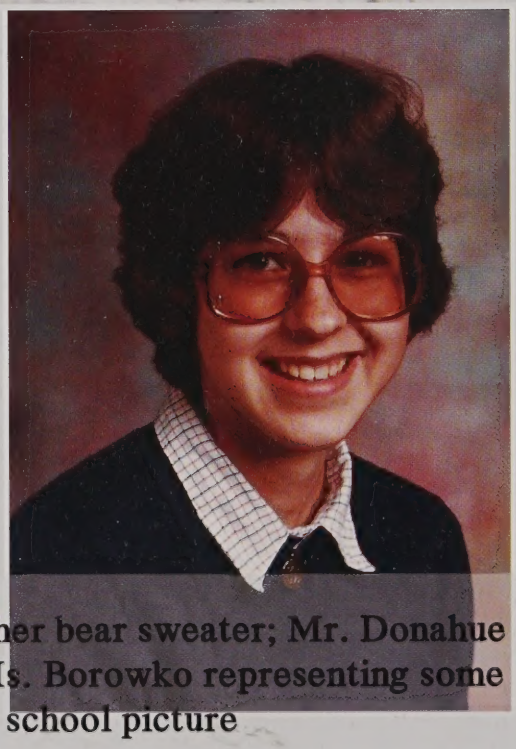
Elaine Ziemba

TIME
KILL

2004: Ms. Nugent killing it during her junior year of high school

1991: Ms. Provenzano & Mrs. Ladd ready to start kindergarten!





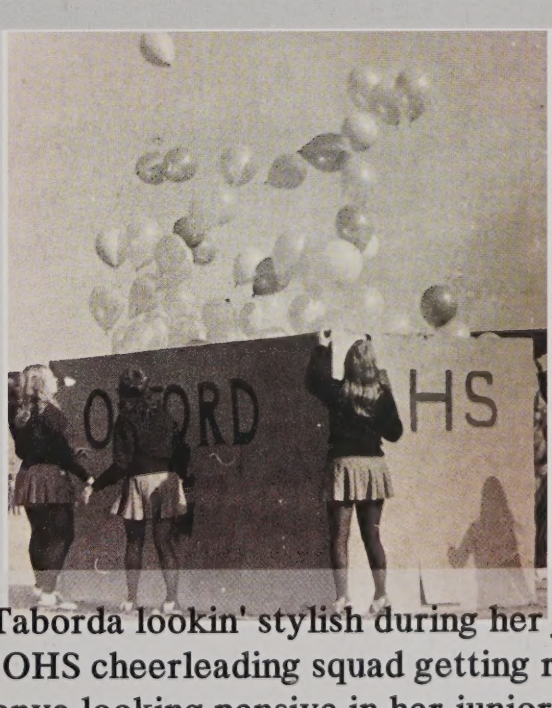
Left to Right: Three-year-old Ms. Russo rocking her bear sweater; Mr. Donahue ready to crush it on the Salve Regina soccer team; Ms. Borowko representing some serious 80's styles in her junior year school picture

1998: Ms. Castonguay and her family smiling pretty in all denim

2004: Ms. Looby working that hair wrap in her 4th grade school photo

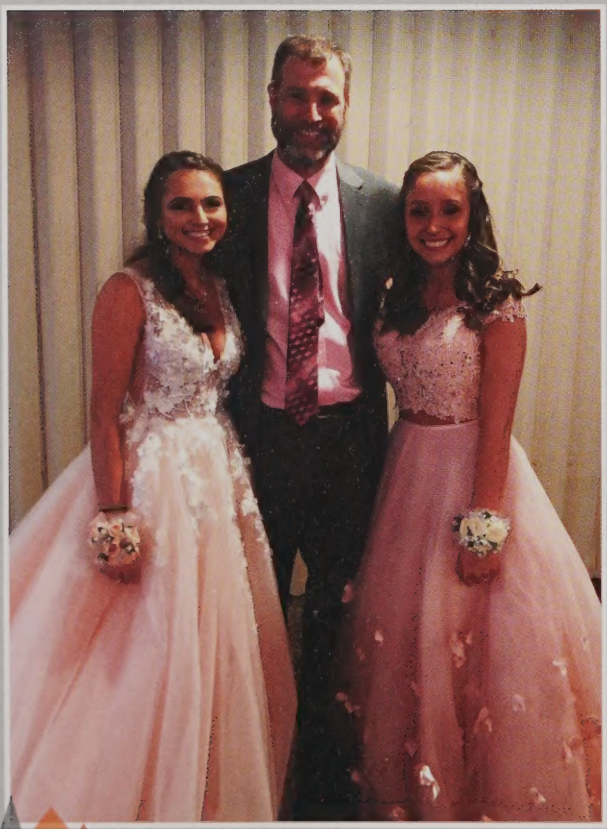
Way Back When

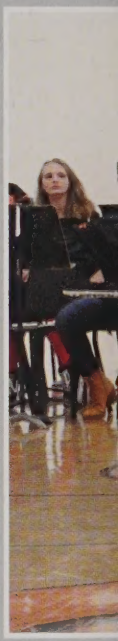
Check out these teachers rocking some amazing fashion trends!

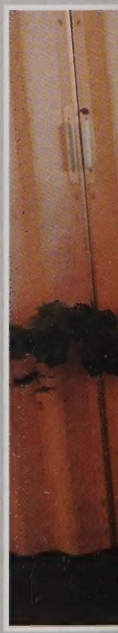


Left to Right: 1996: Mrs. Taborda lookin' stylish during her junior year of high school; 1973: Mrs. Looney and the OHS cheerleading squad getting ready for the Thanksgiving football game; Mrs. Mwenye looking pensive in her junior year high school photo

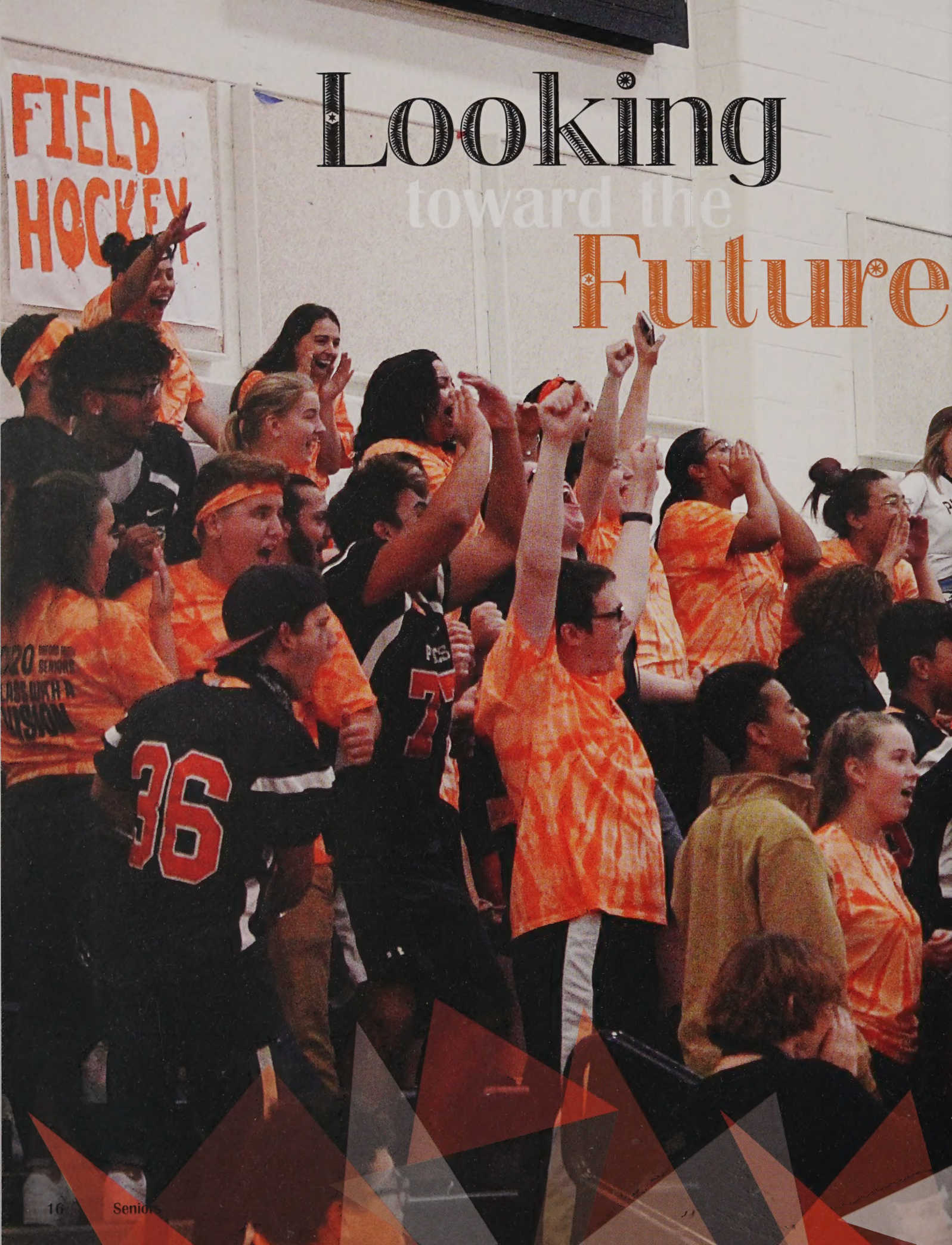
Take Me to Your Leader







Looking toward the Future



FIELD
HOCKEY

PROGRESSIVE

ANATOMY
CRIME SCENE
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Isabella Auclair
A Teacher

Kelsey Bates
A Teacher

Jessica Bedard
A Nurse

Katie Belanger
Kelly Pickler

Cobe Brown
An Engineer

Cassandra Bute
A Veterinarian

Molly Cook
An FBI Agent

Peyton Coonan
A Teacher

Alex Duval
Everyone's Father

Kaili Elwood
A Ballet Dancer

Sara Forcina
A Veterinarian

Kaylee Fradsham
An Artist

Justin Freeland
A Dog Trainer

Trinity Fuller
A District Attorney

Nakkia Gardner
A Cook

Calib Goyette
Bill Cosby

Cass Gray
Teacher, Princess, Adventurer

Alex Green
A Police Officer

Trinity Gustafson
A Nurse

Melody Hairapetian
A Nurse

What Did You Want To Be When You Were Little?

Ashley Hanks
A Veterinarian

Chloe Hatstat
A Ballerina

Conor Higgins
A Pharmacist

Skyla Hodsdon-Beurman
A Teacher or Veterinarian

Liam Jessie
A Golfer

Sarah Kersting-Mumm
An Architect

Alexis Kleiza
A Hairdresser

Suzannah Lambert
A Baker

Josh McCarty
A Drummer

Sam Meech
A Writer

Haley Meyer
A Police Officer

Jenna Mullen
A Math Teacher

Colin Murphy
An Astronaut

Crystal Nelson
An Athlete

Teegue Olson
A Soldier

Abby Ortiz
A Lawyer

Joe Ortiz
A Teacher

Micaela Perry
A Photographer

Isabella Robinson
A Singer

Isabella Rosario
A Nurse

Lauren Scioletti
A Firefighter

Nick Sellig
A Truck Driver

Christiana Shaughnessy
Justin Beiber's Girlfriend

Brianna Staniunas
A Teacher

Jaedyn Starr
A Firefighter

Rachel Storey
A Veterinarian

Makayla Strzelewicz
A Teacher

Nicolas Thibault
A Carpenter

Madeline Tomlin
A Teacher

Katelyn Trainque
A Spy

Sydney Vetal
A Garbage Man

Santiago Villalobos
A Truck Driver

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A Princess

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Elijah Williams
An NBA Player

Christina Winsky
A Detective

Our Little Dreamers...

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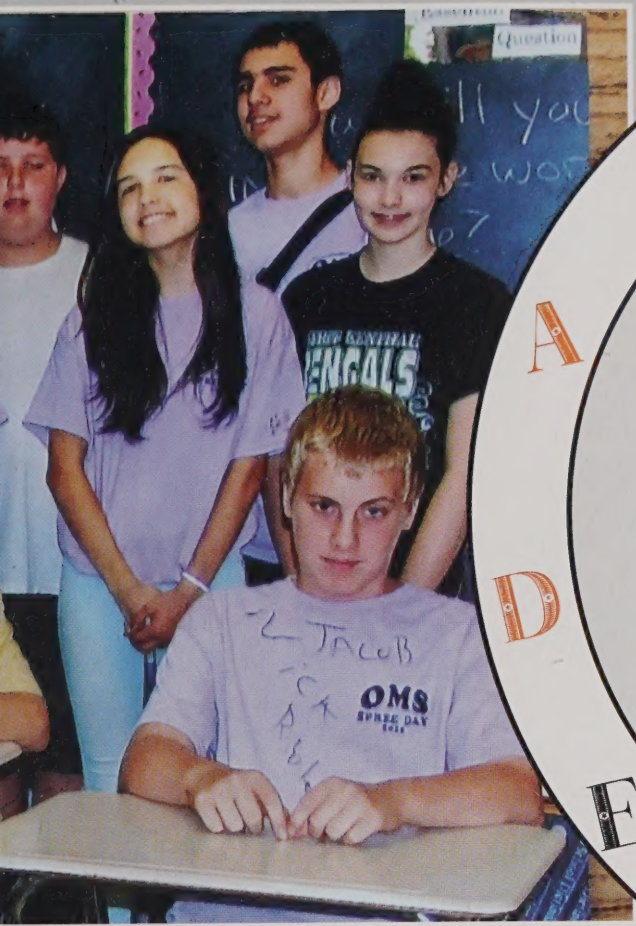
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SPIRIT DAY

BACK TO SCHOOL DAY

Teachers
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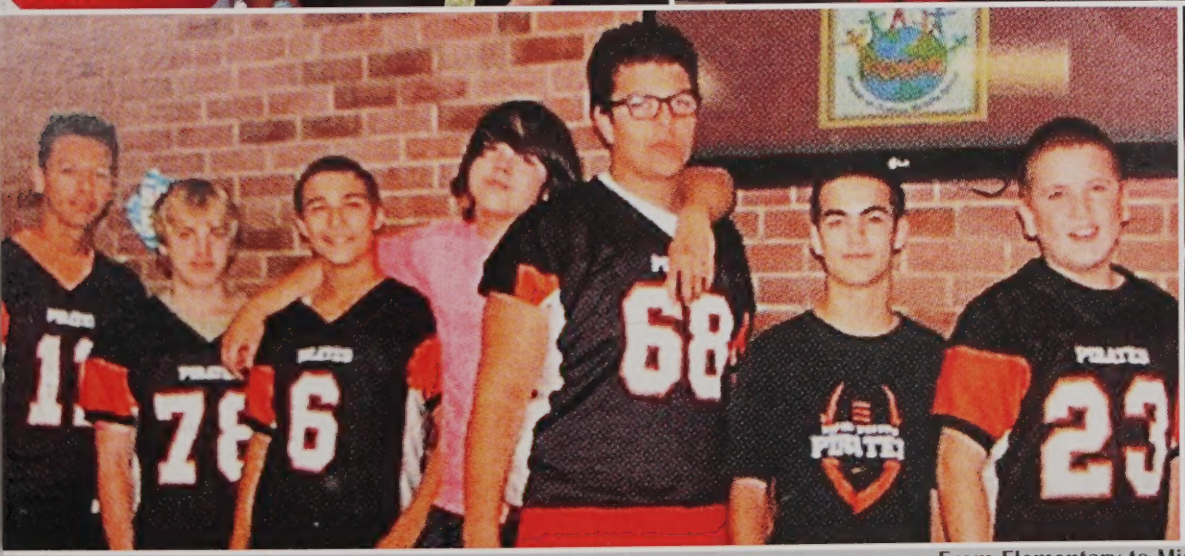
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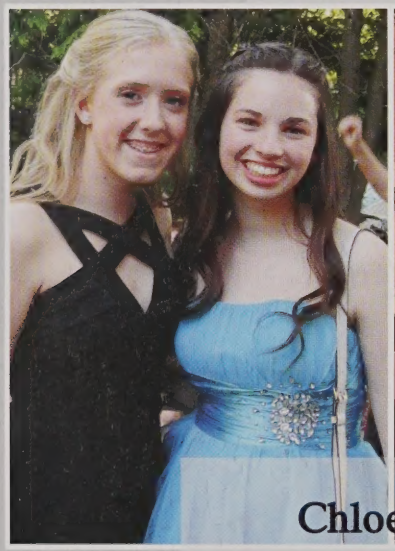

Chloe & Sarah

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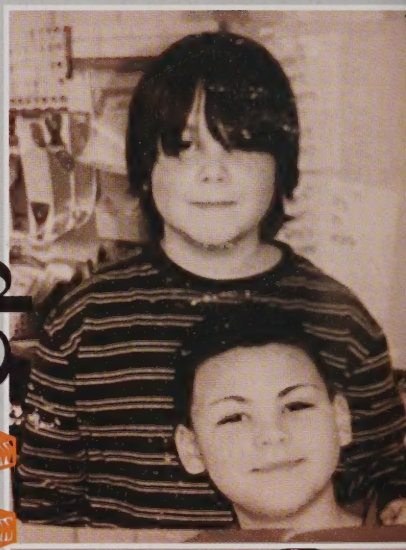

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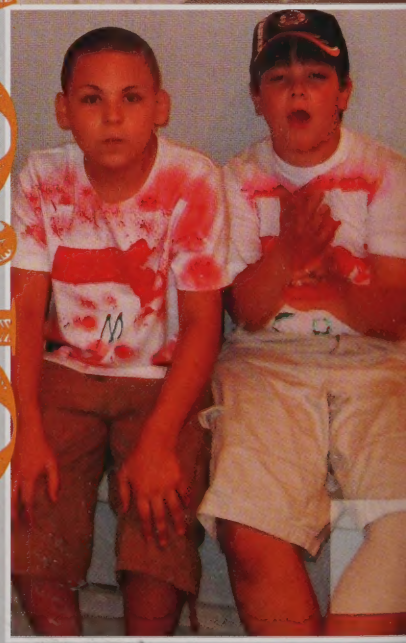

GLOW up

Nick

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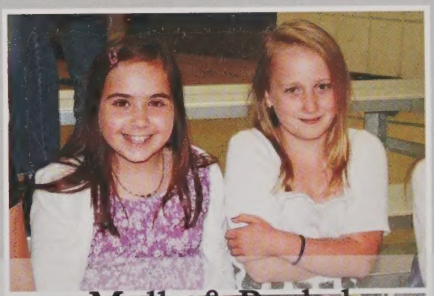
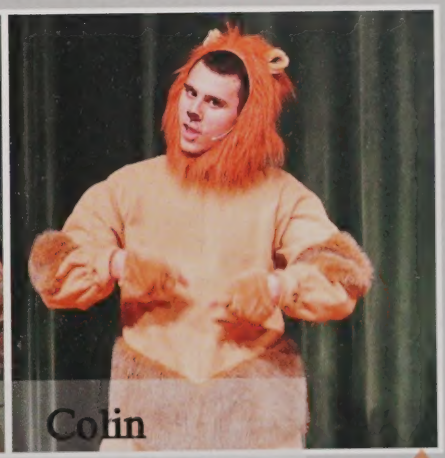
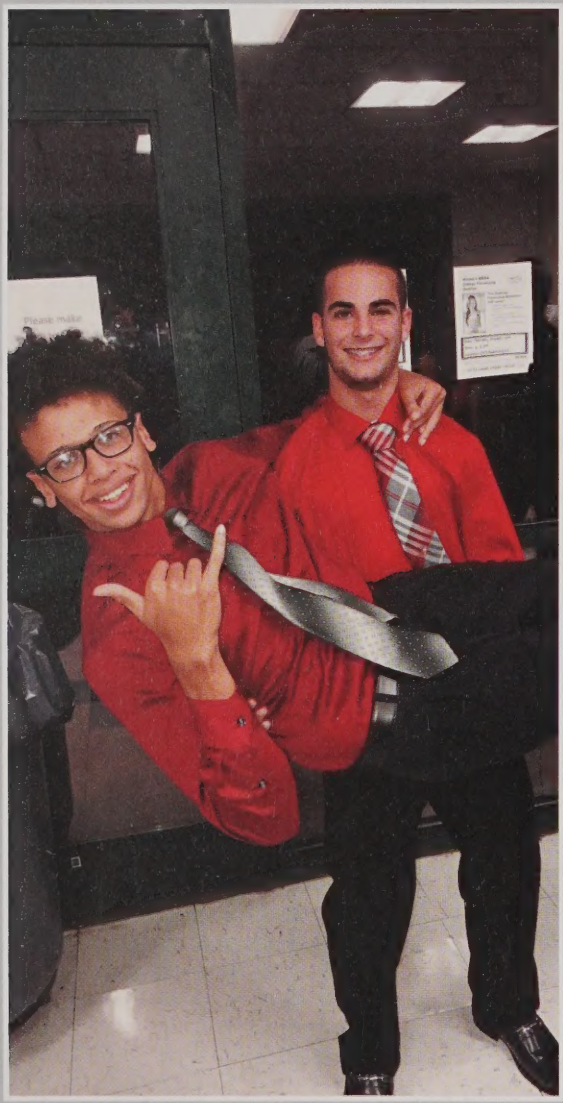


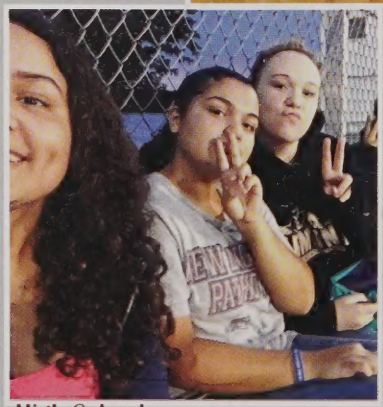
Molly & Rachel

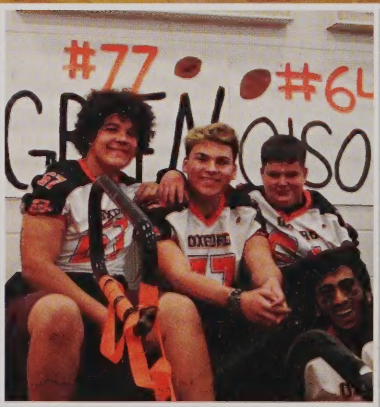


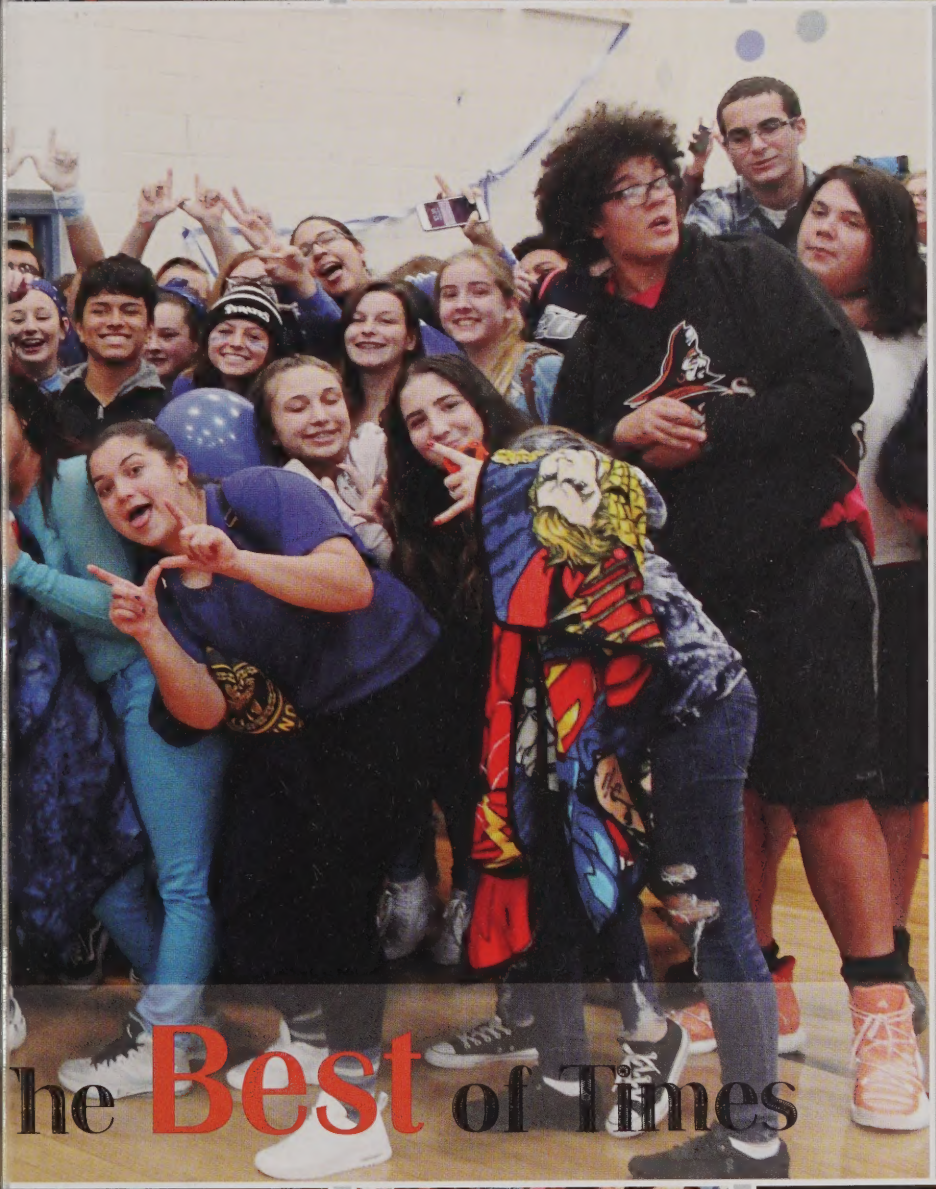
Colin

The Best of Friends









The Best of Times

Peyton Coonan
Vice President

Molly Cook
Treasurer

Sarah Kersting-Mumm
Secretary

Class Royalty

The end is here!! We haven't all traveled the same path to get to this point, but we are all united in being the Class of 2020. The journey to get to this point has been interesting, but fun, and I have had the pleasure of being the class president through it all. During our freshman year, participation was definitely low, but we have grown and more people have gotten involved in the class. We have even won the pep rally three years in a row! Everything we have done as a class wouldn't have been possible without Ms. Castonguay. She is the best adviser we could have asked for and I'm so glad that she stepped up freshman year when we had no adviser. We have had amazing Deck the Halls hallways, proms, fundraisers, etc. all thanks to her!

As a whole, we have had an extremely successful time in the high school; we even had enough money to go on a second class trip to New York City. I'm extremely grateful to have had the opportunity to lead the class along with Ms. Castonguay and my fellow officers: Peyton Coonan, Molly Cook, and Sarah Kersting-Mumm. I wish everyone success in their future plans.

Suzie Lambert
Class President

To the Class of 2020,

It has been an absolute pleasure being your class adviser for the past four years. I've been able to watch you all grow from timid, unenthusiastic freshmen to confident, hardworking seniors. Thank you for all of the great memories over the past four years and for allowing me to play such a big role in your high school careers. From sewing Halloween costumes to giving advice about school and friends, you've all allowed me to be invested in your lives and I am incredibly grateful for that. Special shout out to your class officers, Suzie, Peyton, Sarah, and Molly, as well as those seniors who consistently stepped up to help with class events.You will forever be "my kids" and I will miss you all greatly after graduation. I am confident you all will accomplish great things after leaving OHS. Don't forget to come back and visit!

Best of luck!

Ms. Castonguay
Class Adviser

Isabella Auclair

Nicknames: Bella, Belly
Activities: Volleyball & Softball
Biggest Influence: My Dad
Future Goals: To be better than Alex Duval
Quote: This wasn't like High School Musical at all

Kacey-Lyn Bachant

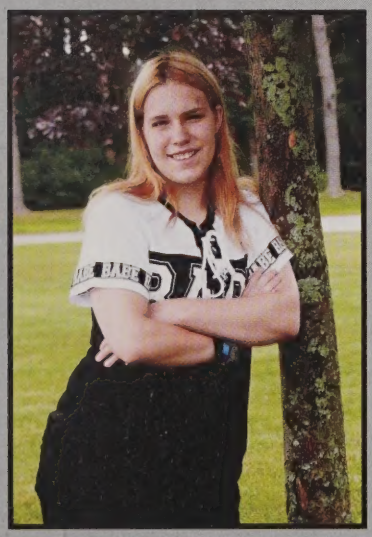
Congratulations Class of 2020!

Kelsey Bates

Nicknames: Kels, Kbates, Lil dipper
Activities: Cheer, Naps, Best Buddies, Student Council
Biggest Influence: My dad
Future Goals: Travel the world to every single Disney amusement park
Quote: "Growing old is mandatory, but growing up is optional." -Walt Disney

Danielle Beaulieu

Biggest Influence: Family
Future Goals: Be successful
Quote: "Until we meet again, but I hope we don't."



Jessica Bedard

Nicknames: Jess
Biggest Influence: My Nephew
Future Goals: Become very successful
Quote: Now that you've graduated, just remember: Bosses don't usually accept notes from your mother.

Kaitlyn Belanger

Nicknames: Katie
Activities: Track
Biggest Influence: My parents
Future Goals: Have a big family of my own
Quote: You are not what has happened to you. You are what you choose to become.

Cobe Brown

Activities: Football, Student Council
Biggest Influence: Friends, family, teachers, and coaches
Future Goals: To live a long happy life
Quote: "No amount of money ever bought a second of time." -Howard Stark

Cassandra Bute

Activities: NJROTC (9-12), Snowboarding (12)
Biggest Influence: Commander Masley
Future Goals: Go to a college and complete a 5-year master program for Art Therapy and ultimately become an art therapist.
Quote: "Everything happens for a reason."

Anne Christelle Cajuste

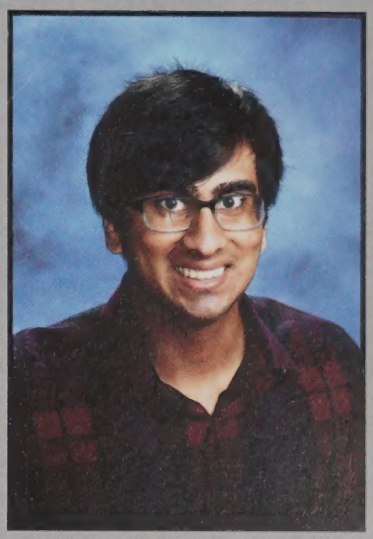
Nicknames: Anne, Starlie
Activities: Tutoring, Reading, Listening to Music
Biggest Influence: Those who succeed despite their adversities
Future Goals: Become involved in charity
Quote: "The most beautiful people I've known are those who have known trials, have known struggles, have known loss, and have found their way out of the depths."
-Elizabeth Kûbler-Ross

Haleigh Carlson

Nicknames: Hal, Hail, Sith
Activities: Art, Theatre
Biggest Influence: Honestly? My father.
Future Goals: Concept Artist
Quote: "Despite everything, no one can dictate who you are to other people." -Prince

Lillany Castillo Nova

Nicknames: Lilly
Biggest Influence: My mom
Future Goals: Registered nurse
Quote: Looks don't really matter, but I have them just in case.



Khadeer Choudhry

Nicknames: K-Dot, Khadoodle, Genghis Khanis Deeris, Kaboom, Fear the Deer
Activities: Music and Weight Lifting
Biggest Influence: My Family
Future Goals: Fix my eyebrows
Quote: He who is not courageous enough to take risks will accomplish nothing in life.

Molly Cook

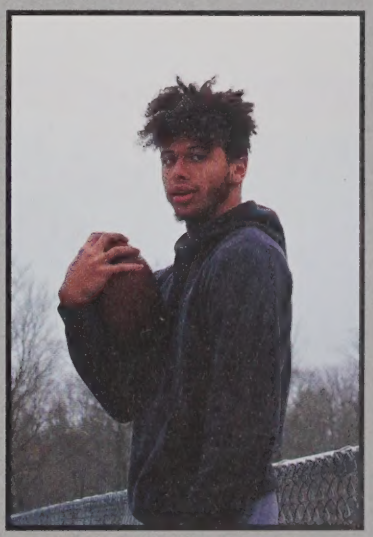
Nicknames: Molls
Activities: Best Buddies, Class Officer, NHS, Student Council, Field Hockey
Biggest Influence: Volunteering at the Oxford Ecumenical Food Shelf and Miss Castonguay
Future Goals: To be happy, make my parents happy and to leave the world a little bit better than I found it
Quote: "No bueno"

Peyton Coonan

Nicknames: P, Pey, PP
Activities: Field Hockey, Indoor/Outdoor Track, Student Council, Class VP, Best Buddies, NHS
Future Goals: Go to college for Elementary Education, continue my field hockey career, and genuinely be happy.
Quote: "God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; courage to change the things I can; and the wisdom to know the difference."

Justice DeLaCruz

Nicknames: Juanita, Esteban, Jdawg, Justina
Activities: Boxing, driving, chilling with the boys
Biggest Influence: Family
Future Goals: Build a skyscraper, have 4 kids
Quote: It's ludicrous these mortals even attempt to enter my realm.



Michael DeLaCruz

Nicknames: Cruz, Captain, Overbite
Activities: Football, Working out,Track, Looking Good, Piano
Future Goals: Be a great Father and Husband, as well as own a Tesla by 26
Quote: The most beautiful curve on a girl is her smile.

Faith Dupuis

Biggest Influence: My mom
Future Goals: College
Quote: "Thanks for 4 years of hell."

Alexander Duval

Nicknames: Alex, Duvy
Activities: Basketball
Future Goals: To be the best ever
Quote: "Hide ya mummas, ya aunties, and ya granny's"

Kaili Elwood

Nicknames: KB
Activities: NJROTC, chorus
Biggest Influence: My parents
Future Goals: To become a genetic counselor
Quote: "This was nothing like *High School Musical*."

Elvis Thiery Farias

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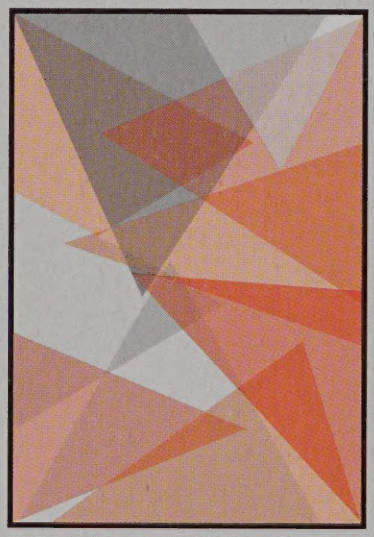
Kayla Ferraro

Nicknames: Carter
Activities: Hanging out with friends
Biggest Influence: My friends
Future Goals: To become or do something with psychology
Quote: "Normal is boring"

Sara Forcina

Nicknames: Siracha
Activities: Dancer, Painter, Singer, Writer
Biggest Influence: My parents
Future Goals: I have one future goal, and that is to improve as a person to fit my own standards
Quote: All you have to be is good enough for yourself. You are already loved by someone. When you realize this, life is endless bliss.



Trevor Foskett

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Hailey Fournier

Activities: Equestrian
Biggest Influence: My trainer
Future Goals: Graduate college
Quote: "Say what you think, love who you love, 'cause you just get so many trips round the sun." ~Kacey Musgraves

Kaylee Fradsham

Nicknames: Kaylee, Chinga
Activities: Being the #1 cashier at Kmart
Biggest Influence: My favorite franchise- Shrek 1, 2, 3, & 4
Future Goals: To have all my biggest dreams come true and to meet Harry Styles
Quote: "Pack your bags cause I've already won." -Total Drama Island

Justin Freeland

Nicknames: Bird
Activities: Basketball, soccer, baseball, golf, Student Council
Biggest Influence: Frykberg
Future Goals: Live with no worries
Quote: Half of the kids in this school don't even know my real name.

Trinity Fuller

Nicknames: Trin, Triny
Activities: Best Buddies, Track, Golf
Biggest Influence: Brian Dunn & Meg Raymond <3
Future Goals: Drive a tesla
Quote: "Living the dream, sometimes it's a nightmare." -C Harvey

Jazzeray Garcia

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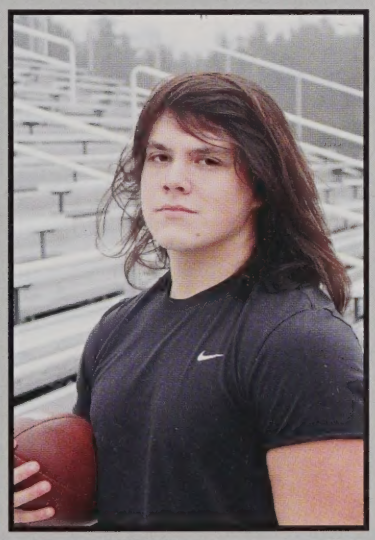
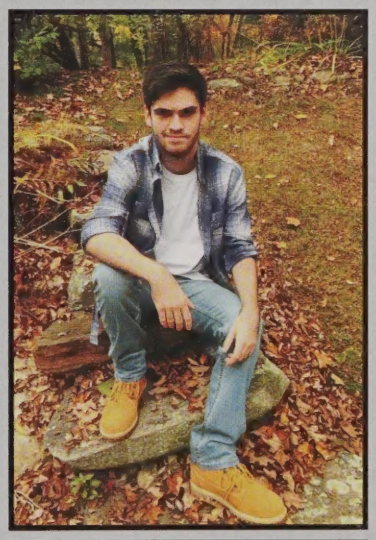
Nakkia Gardner

Nicknames: Kia
Activities: Cooking
Biggest Influence: My brothers push me to be the best me I can be
Future Goals: I want to be an architect and I want to have my own company
Quote: "When the worlds pouring down on you always remember nothings the same forever."



Nicholas Geragonis

Nicknames: Nick, Gas Pump
Activities: Weightlifting, football, track
Biggest Influence: Michael Gevry, God
Future Goals: President, first trillionaire
Quote: "I can kill two stones with one bird."



Michael Gevry

Nicknames: Mike
Activities: Cross Country, Indoor Track, Track and Field
Biggest Influence: My parents
Future Goals: To be fulfilled in life
Quote: "Those who dare to fail miserably can achieve greatly." -John F. Kennedy

Dejay Gleason

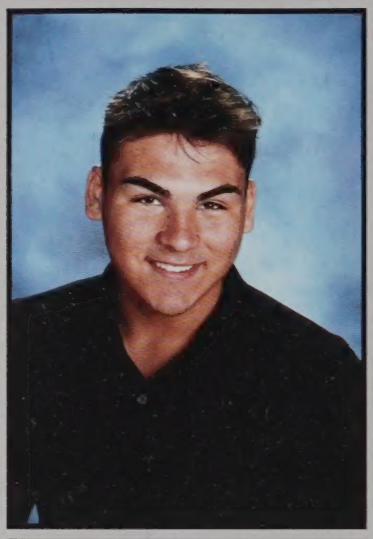
Nicknames: DJ
Activities: Digital Art
Biggest Influence: Youtube, Music
Future Goals: Engineering, Real Estate
Quote: "I can either watch it happen, or be a part of it." -Elon Musk

Calib Goyette

Nicknames: Caliba
Activities: Soccer
Biggest Influence: My mom
Future Goals: Going to Canada with Conor Higgins
Quote: "Remember the name."

Cassandra Gray

Nickname: Cass
Activities: Best Buddies, Project Success intern, read, write, watch Marvel Movies, spend time with friends and family
Biggest Influence: Jesus Christ
Future Goals: Give hope to special needs families like my own; become a published author
Quote: "You may write me down in history with your bitter, twisted lies. You may trod me in the very dirt, but still like dust, they rise." -Maya Angelou



Alexander Green

Nicknames: Green and every other color
Activities: Football and master procrastinator
Biggest Influence: My teachers, coaches, and family influence me to do better
Future Goals: Not live in a box
Quote: If nobody comes from the future to stop you from doing it, how bad of a decision can it really be?

Trinity Gustafson

Nicknames: Trin
Activities: Dog Training and Photography
Biggest Influence: Myself
Future Goals: Good job, nice house, happy life
Quote: "What feels like the end is often the beginning..."

Melody Hairapetian

Nicknames: Mel, Melod
Future Goals: To go to college and become a X-ray technician
Quote: I swear I'm not mean, It's just my face.

Ashley Hanks

Nicknames: Ash
Activities: Eating
Biggest Influence: My sister
Future Goals: To get married
Quote: I just want to get out of here and go to my bed.

Chloe Hatstat

Nicknames: Clomoney
Activities: Dance
Biggest Influence: My mom
Future Goals: Graduate college
Quote: Someday we will find what we are looking for. Or maybe we won't. Maybe we will find something much greater than that.

Marissa Henderson

Nicknames: Marissa, Missy
Biggest Influence: Trippie Redd
Future Goals: College, Good job/career
Quote: "Damn, that was fun."

Conor Higgins

Nicknames: Higgy, Chiggins, Hobbit
Activities: Hunting, football
Biggest Influence: My mom
Future Goals: Godfather to at least one of Calib's kids
Quote: It's not that dense.

Skyla Hodsdon-Beurman

Nicknames: Sky
Activities: Soccer, Art, Hockey, Softball
Biggest Influence: Mom
Future Goals: College sports, Graduation
Quote: "Don't quote me on that."

Liam Jessie

Nicknames: Mail
Activities: Golf, Baseball, Work, Student Council
Biggest Influence: Grandfather
Future Goals: Own a Tesla
Quote: I want to thank Google, Wikipedia, Quizlet, and to whoever invented copy and paste. Thank you.

Sarah Kersting-Mumm

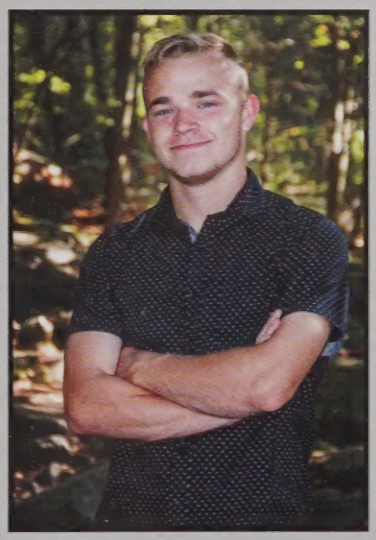
Nicknames: Shara, Shar
Activities: Class Secretary, Student Council, NHS, Best Buddies, Chorus, Swim, Eating Ice Cream
Future Goals: Stay happy
Quote: "Success is liking yourself, liking what you do, and liking how you do it." -Maya Angelou

Alexis Kleiza

Nicknames: Alexis, Lex
Activities: Cheerleading
Biggest Influence: My momma
Future Goals: Go to hairdressing school
Quote: Who says that my dreams have to stay just dreams?

Suzannah Lambert

Nicknames: Suzie, Suz, Suzzle
Activities: Field Hockey, Class President
Biggest Influence: My mom
Future Goals: I want to be a mom
Quote: "I'm sorry."



Vincent LaRonde-Navin

Nicknames: Big Voon
Activities: Soccer, video games
Biggest Influence: Robert Downey Jr.
Future Goals: Build my own car
Quote: "Part of the journey is the end." -Tony Stark

Joshua McCarty

Nicknames: Bigfoot
Activities: Bowling, skiing, photography
Biggest Influence: Myself
Future Goals: Successful videographer/photographer
Quote: People stress too much. Living life in the moment is better than stressing about the future.

Samantha Meech

Nicknames: Sam, Sammy, Mech
Activities: Softball, Field Hockey, Indoor Track, National Honors Society
Biggest Influence: Soccer moms
Future Goals: PhD in neuroscience or psychology
Quote: "We are here to laugh at the odds and live our lives so well that death will tremble to take us." -Charles Bukowski

Haley Meyer

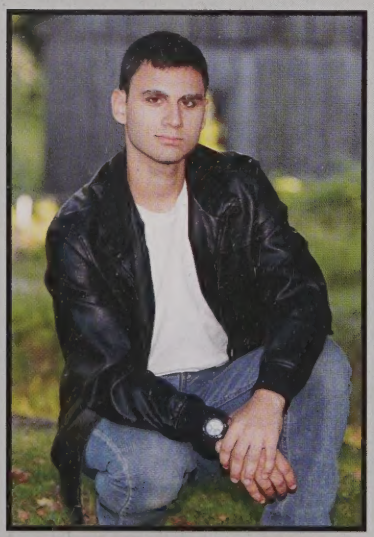
Nicknames: Hales, Hayhay, Mitch
Activities: Volleyball
Biggest Influence: My mom
Future Goals: To live a happy life and get that bag
Quote: Hard work pays off

Haylie Moquin-Gagnon

Nicknames: The Goofie
Activities: Coloring and Dancing
Biggest Influence: My Mom
Future Goals: Be a rockstar
Quote: "Uh oh Trouble"

Jenna Mullen

Nicknames: Jmull, Jen Jen, human GPS
Activities: Basket to the casket
Biggest Influence: Keillian Smith, Hannah Volpe, Duane Day Jr
Future Goals: To make my parents proud and find my ovary.
Quote: "Someone make up a senior quote for me. I'm not in school."

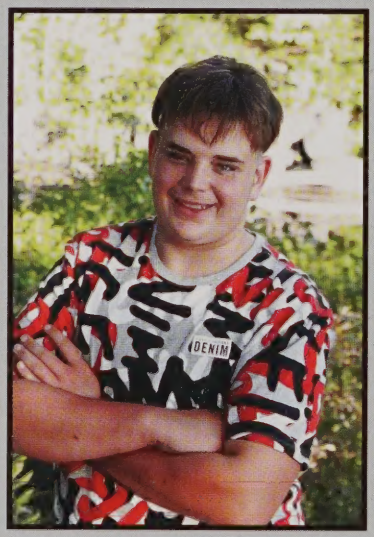


Colin Murphy

Nicknames: Murphy
Activities: Band, Chorus, NJROTC, Theatre, Music, Art, Gaming
Biggest Influence: My mother, music, and NJROTC
Future Goals: To be a rich and famous musician and actor
Quote: "Everything happens for a reason. It's how you take the outcome that defines you and your future."

Crystal Nelson

Nicknames: Nelson, Lefty
Activities: Varsity Softball (9-12), Varsity Volleyball (10-12)
Biggest Influence: My family
Future Goals: Travel the world
Quote: "If you wait for things to be perfect you'll just miss out on life." -Chris Pratt



Teegue Olson

Nicknames: Teeguey Teeguer
Activities: Football, Baseball, Hockey, Connecting with nature
Biggest Influence: Sports
Future Goals: To have a house; to start a family
Quote: "You get out of life what you put into it."

Abigail Ortiz

Nicknames: Abby Ortits
Activities: Softball, Chillin with the homies, Eating hot cheetos, Obsessing over horror movies, Somehow making a mess of everything
Biggest Influence: My friends and family- especially my Uncle
Future Goals: Content with life, Financially stable, Straight fudgin' it up, Traveling the world with the love of my life
Quote: Mood goes from *"Cause I'm Mr. Brightside" (Mr. Brightside)* to *"Cause I got depression." (Jesus Is The One)*

Joaquin Ortiz Montoya

Nicknames: Joe
Activities: Football, Video Games
Future Goals: I want to be an art teacher
Quote: Live free or die.

Dillon Palmer

Nicknames: DP
Activities: Video Games, D&D, Reading, Guitar
Biggest Influence: Matthew Mercer
Future Goals: Career in Game Design
Quote: "Your secret is safe with my indifference."

Harrison Paton

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Micaela Perry

Nicknames: Mac, Mackie, Patricia
Activities: Basketball, Photography, Work, Partying
Biggest Influence: Nana and Coach P
Future Goals: Play college basketball and dine'n at Kaitlyn Goyette's 5 star restaurant
Quote: American Horror Story, S3 Episode 12, 42:22

Cody Plasse

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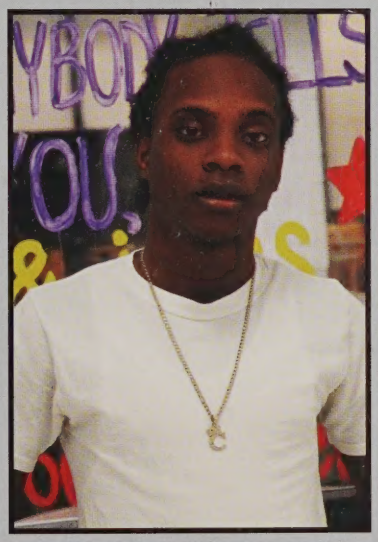


Tajae Poston

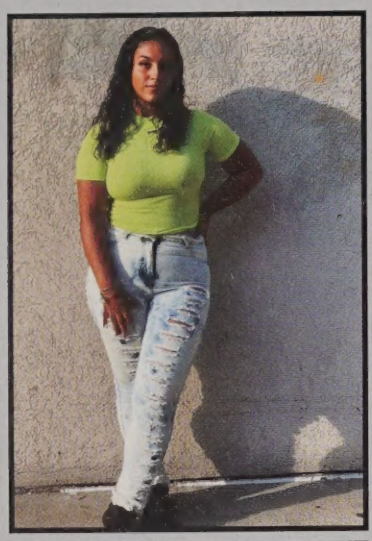
Nicknames: Caezer
Activities: Music-recording
Future Goals: Tycoon
Biggest Influence: Michael Jackson
Quote: "Almost all of what ye view is a distraction."

Anthony Purretta

Nicknames: Ant, Antman
Activities: Baseball, Ping Pong Stud, Water Polo Star
Future Goals: To be better than Bella Auclair
Quote: "Real G's move in silence like lasagna." -Lil Wayne

Isabella Robinson

Nicknames: Bella, Quadforte
Activities: Chorus, skiing
Biggest Influence: Music mom
Future Goals: Be happy
Quote: "Step into the daylight and let it go." -Taylor Swift

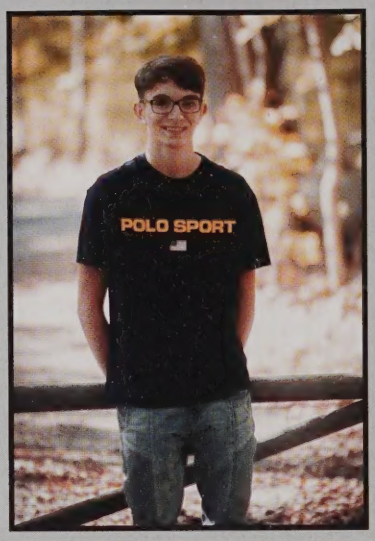


Sara Rodriguez

Nicknames: Mocha
Activities: Play Guitar, Sing, Draw
Biggest Influence: Me, Myself, and I
Future Goals: Become a Veterinarian
Quote: "Don't say you're not smart, you can learn anything. Your brain is unlimited."

Isabella Rosario

Nicknames: Bella
Activities: Field Hockey, Basketball, Reading, Writing
Biggest Influence: Sam Meech, My mom, My stepdad
Future Goals: To overcome my lack of self love.
Quote: "It's the oldest story in the world. One day you're seventeen and planning for someday. And then quietly and without you ever really noticing, someday is today. And that someday is yesterday. And this is your life." -Nathan Scott; One Tree Hill



Nathan Ryan

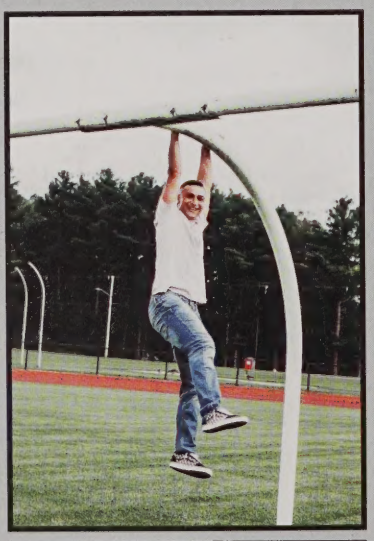
Nicknames: Nate, Nadle, Ndog
Activities: Basketball, baseball, part time archer
Biggest Influence: Dwayne Carter
Future Goals: Meet Seth Rogen.
Quote: Forgive don't forget.

Alyah Sanchez

Nicknames: Alyah Sandy Chest
Activities: Trippy Art, Sleep
Biggest Influence: My bed and Jason Momoa
Future Goals: To be an owner of a finger monkey
Quote: "Now is the time to make sure we have the strings of all the balloons we want to keep before they all float away."

Lauren Scioletti

Activities: Varsity Rugby
Biggest Influence: Ke$ha
Future Goals: Save the sharks
Quote: Surprised I made it this far.



Nicholas Sellig

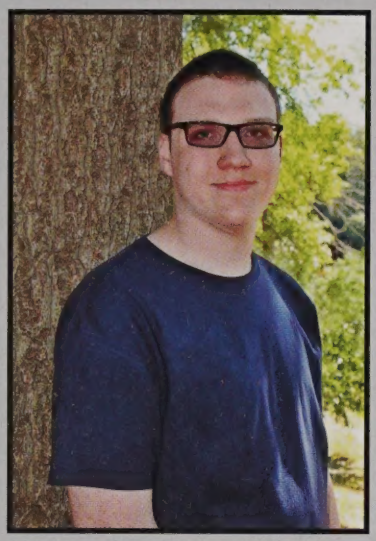
Nicknames: Sellig, Kellogs
Activities: Football, track
Future Goals: Prove those who said I couldn't do it wrong
Quote: "I think my finger's broken." -Me

Christiana Shaughnessy

Nicknames: Chris, Chrissy, "C"
Activities: Volleyball, softball, obsessing over babies.
Future Goals: Become a nurse, make bank, and have a happy family.
Quote: Bloom With Grace Wherever Life Plants You

Cynthia Shaw

Nicknames: Cindy, Cynth, Shaw
Activities: 4-H, Band, Chorus, NJROTC
Biggest Influence: My entire 4-H career
Future Goals: Show at World Dairy Expo
Quote: "The world is round and the place which may seem like the end may also be the beginning." -Keely Walsh



Brandon Smith

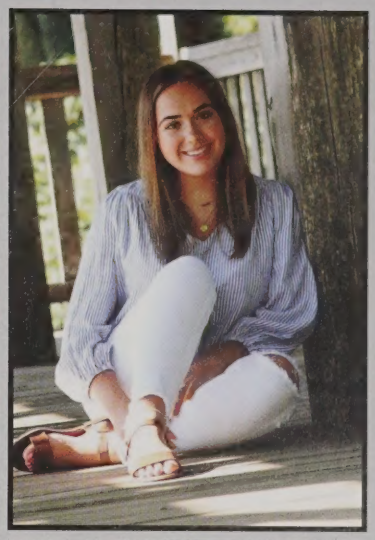
Nicknames: Bran
Activities: Best Buddies, FBH Social Group, Dungeons & Dragons, Video Games
Biggest Influence: My family
Future Goals: Go to college, Find a job, Visit Japan

Brianna Staniunas

Nicknames: Brianna, Bri
Activities: Hanging out with friends
Biggest Influence: My best friend
Future Goals: To be successful and have a good career in cosmetology
Quote: "..always remember to see things in a new, weird way." -Tim Burton

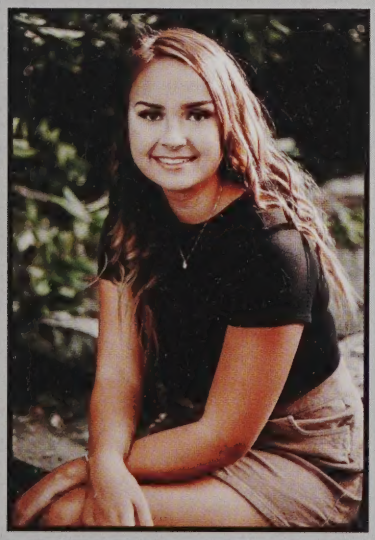
Jaedyn Starr

Nicknames: J, Gorgette
Activities: Soccer, NJROTC
Biggest Influence: Marilyn Monroe
Future Goals: Own a penguin
Quote: Welcome to Costco, I love you!



Rachel Storey

Nicknames: Brooke Storey's Sister, Rachthecoug
Activities: Stuco (9-12), NHS (10-12), Best Buddies (10-12) , Bowling Team (10)
Biggest Influence: Tina Winski
Future Goals: Learn how to spell Tina's last name
Quote: "Sorry I can't, I'm at the island."



Makayla Strzelewicz

Biggest Influence: My parents. They both made me into the person I am today. I'm very lucky and thankful to have them.
Future Goals: My future goals would be to own 25 dogs and a cow.
Quote: "Don't let what you cannot do interfere with what you can do." - John Wooden

Jacob Sund-Lussier

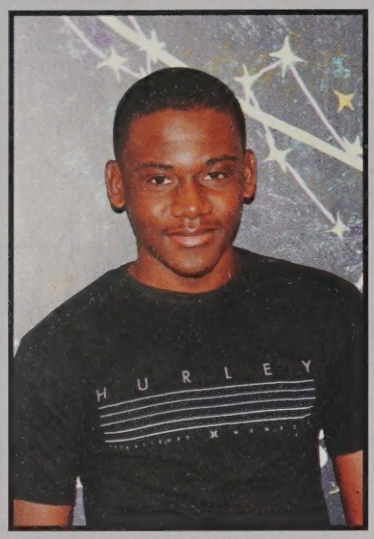
Activities: Football, discus
Biggest Influence: My Moms, Gail And Sarah
Future Goals: Become a carpenter and at some point have my own business
Quote: "If opportunity doesn't knock, build a door." -Milton Berle

Hailey Swenson

Nicknames: Swanson, Swense, Sweeny, Swantonbomb, Swenbot
Activities: Soccer
Biggest Influence: My gram
Future Goals: To get into a restaurant fight with Hannah Volpe
Quote: I've been clueless all this time, not sure how I made it tbh

Nicolas Thibault

Nicknames: Thibault
Activities: Video Games, Hanging out with friends
Biggest Influence: My Grandmother
Future Goals: To be able to make everyone happy
Quote: "Life's too short, make the most of it." -Tom Cassell



Paolo Tokam Junior

Nickname: Slimewolf or Pa
Activities: Soccer & workout
Biggest Influence: My family
Future Goals: Pro Soccer Player or Engineer
Quote: "Don't let any bad situation change you in a negative way. Stay humble."

Madeline Tomlin

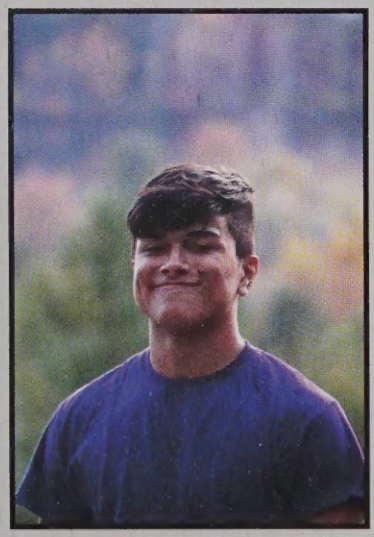
Nicknames: Die
Activities: Soccer, overthinking, being great
Biggest Influence: My beautiful mother
Future Goals: Make bank, live a happy life
Quote: Had good days, had bad days, got played, got paid, club went up on a Tuesday, so many things I meant to say, this cliché, but I found my way.

Katelyn Trainque

Quote: "was released from her 4 year sentence."

Sydney Vetal

Nicknames: Syd, Yid, Squidney, Squid, Yidney
Activities: NJROTC, Drill Team, Volleyball, Chorus, Yearbook
Biggest Influence: My sister Taylor, My best friends (Jaedyn, Nick G), Mr. Coulson!
Future Goals: Trauma Nurse, Travel the world, Spread happiness, Own a manatee, Visit the sloth sanctuary
Quote: "Sunflowers still grow at night."

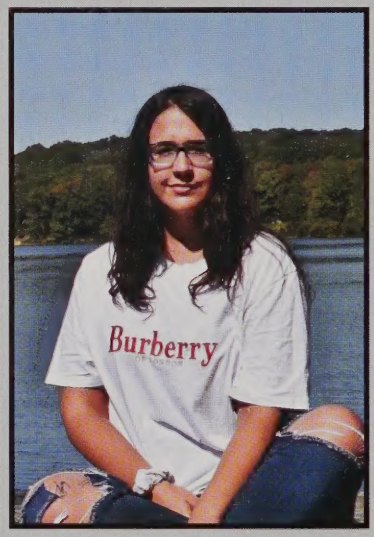


Santiago Villalobos

Nicknames: Santi, San Diego
Activities: Football, Digital Design
Biggest Influence: J.Cole, Jesus, Kanye West
Future Goals: Be a stockbroker or a nurse
Quote: "From the cradle to the grave, I'ma put in work." -A$AP Rocky

Hannah Volpe

Nicknames: Han
Activities: Volleyball, Basketball, Track, Softball
Biggest Influence: My family and Coach P
Future Goals: To get into a restaurant fight with Hailey Swenson
Quote: It is what it is.

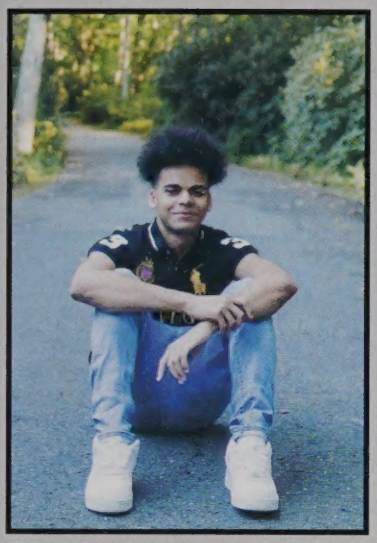


Kelly Weiner

Nicknames: Kel, Kellsbells, Jelly
Activities: Running a brand #weinerverse
Biggest Influence: The Weiner's
Future Goals: To be an author, make $$ and to stay living carefree
Quote: If you don't imagine, nothing ever happens at all.

Joshua White

Nicknames: Rockstar
Activities: Football, Best Buddies, Hockey
Biggest Influence: Dad
Future Goals: Participate in the sled hockey Olympics
Quote: "If you were ever in doubt, Don't sell yourself short, you might be bulletproof. Hard to move mountains when you're paralyzed, But you gotta try and I'm calling you out." -Shinedown



Elijah Williams

Nicknames: Jah, Eli
Activities: Basketball
Biggest Influence: My parents
Future Goals: Get this bread, still be chilling
Quote: "I'm just chillin really." -Me

Christina Winsky

Nicknames: Tina
Activities: Student Council, Soccer, Bowling
Biggest Influence: Rachel Stori
Future Goals: Learn how to spell Rachel's name
Quote: "The Office, Season 7, Episode 19, Minute 14:45"

Sophia Zografos

Nickname: Soph, Sophi, Ang
Activities: Varsity Volleyball
Future Goals: To become a Certified Plastic Surgical Nurse
Quote: "One good year can change your whole life" -Meek Mill

What are you most looking forward to about Graduating?

"I just can't wait to start the next chapter in my life and putting the hardships I've faced behind me. I am also looking forward to move in day so that I can finally get out of this town and start working towards the things I really want to do and have in life."
-Sara Forcina

"Freedom."
-Justin Freeland & Elijah Williams

"College and becoming an adult."
-Cassie Bute

"Being more independent and my own person."
-Peyton Coonan & Danielle Beaulieu

"Being more independent in life."
-Brianna Staniunas

"Getting out of this school."
-Khadeer Choudhry & Cynthia Shaw

"College."
-Dillon Palmer

"Focusing on the major of my choice, meeting new people, and more freedom."
-Sydney Vetal

"I'm looking forward to not having to get up early every morning--that's the worst part of high school in my opinion."
-Kaili Elwood

"Moving On."
-Hannah Volpe

"The Future."
-Chloe Hatstat

"Continuing my life as an adult."
-Katelyn Trainque

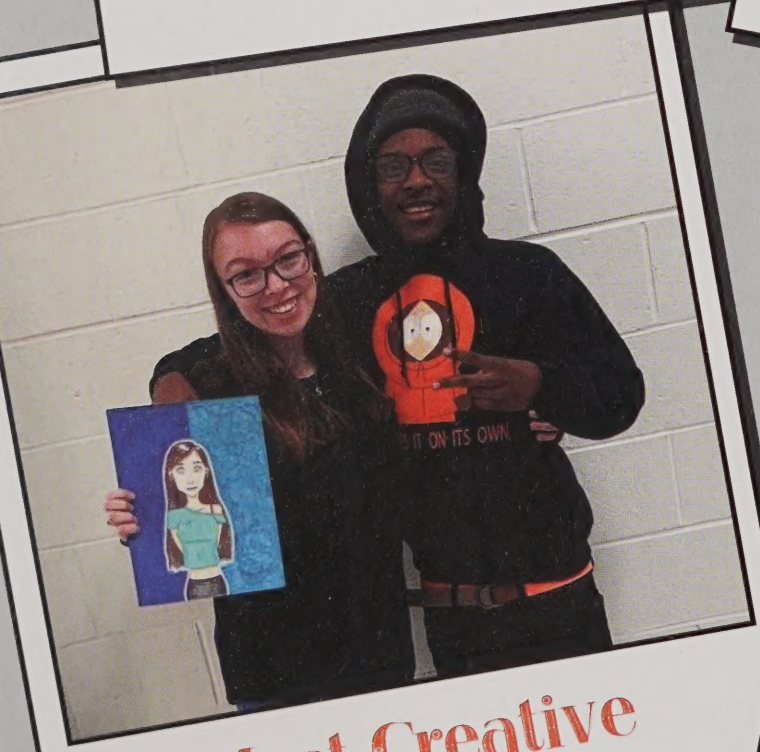
"Not coming to school everyday."
-Alex Duval

Class Clown

Jenna Mullen & Anthony Purretta

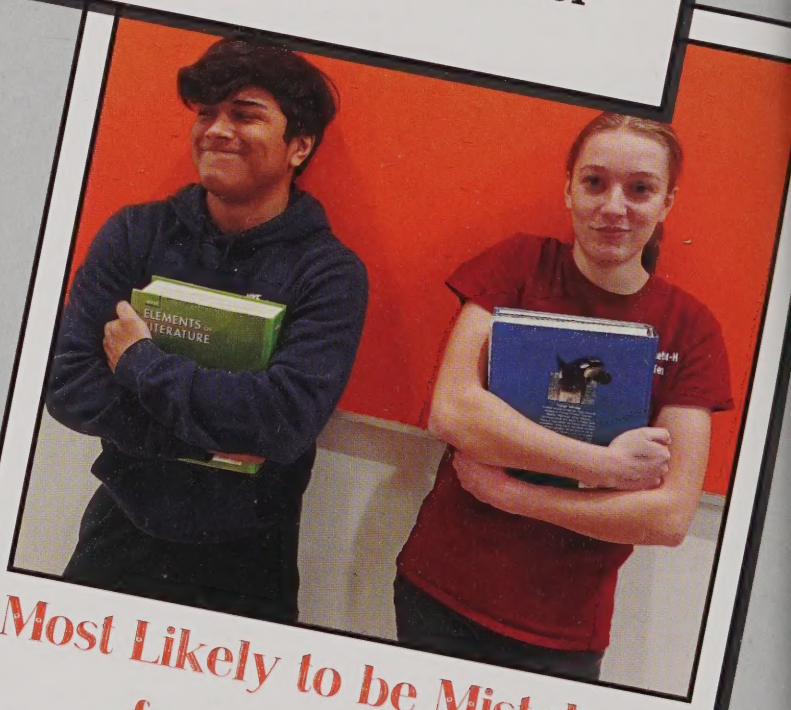
Most Likely to Take Over the World

Hal Carlson & Dillon Palmer



Most Creative

Sara Forcina & Tajae Poston



Most Likely to be Mistaken for a Freshman

Cynthia Shaw & Santiago Villalobos

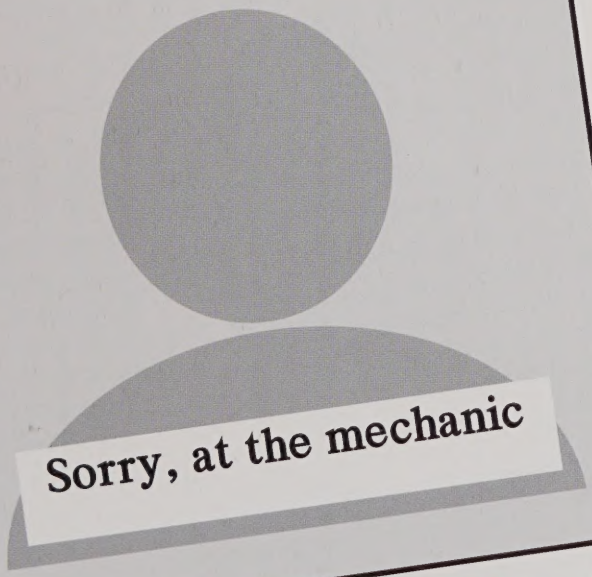
And the Winners Are...

Most Likely to Be Late to Graduation

Haley Meyer & Michael DeLaCruz

Most Changed Since Middle School

Hailey Swenson



Sorry, at the mechanic

Worst Driver

Trinity Fuller & Calib Goyette

Most Changed Since Middle School

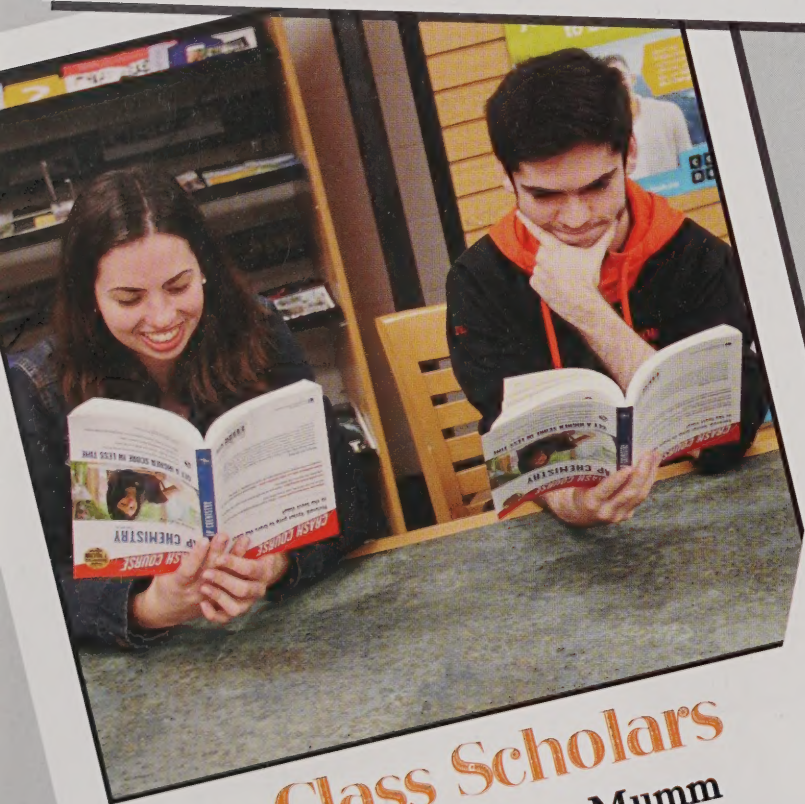
Dejay Gleason

Biggest Flirt

Isabella Auclair & Justice DeLaCruz

Biggest Heart

Molly Cook & Justin Freeland



Class Scholars

Sarah Kersting-Mumm & Michael Gevry

Most Gullible

Peyton Coonan & Cobe Brown

Most Likely to Be Mistaken for a Teacher

Sam Meech & Conor Higgins

Most School Spirit

Suzie Lambert & Colin Murphy

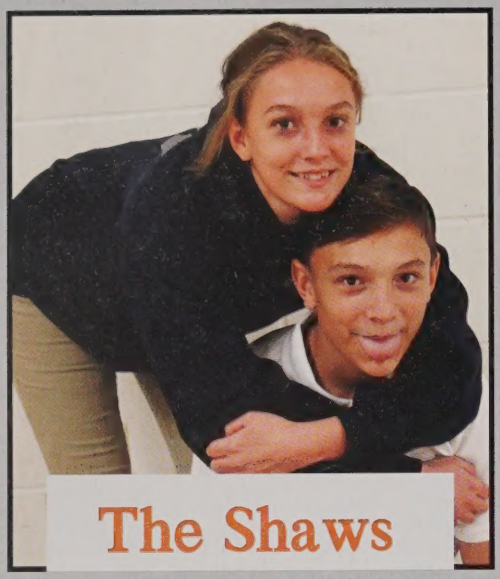
Most Athletic

Hannah Volpe & Nick Geragonis

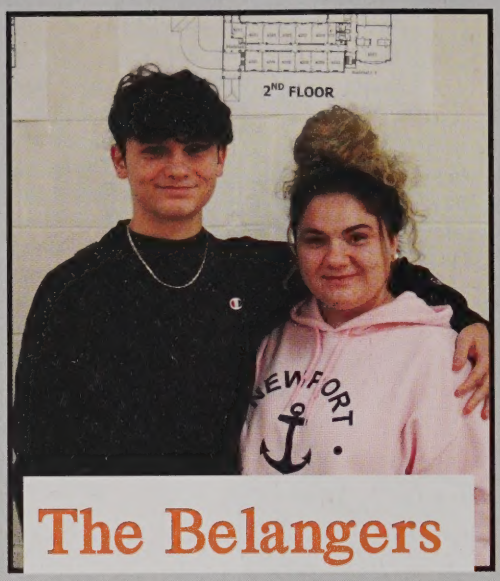
Most Likely to Be on Their Phone

Sophia Zografos & Nathan Ryan

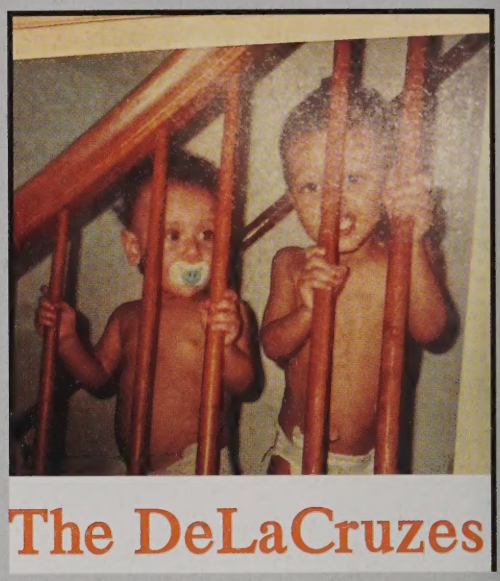
All in the Family



The Shaws

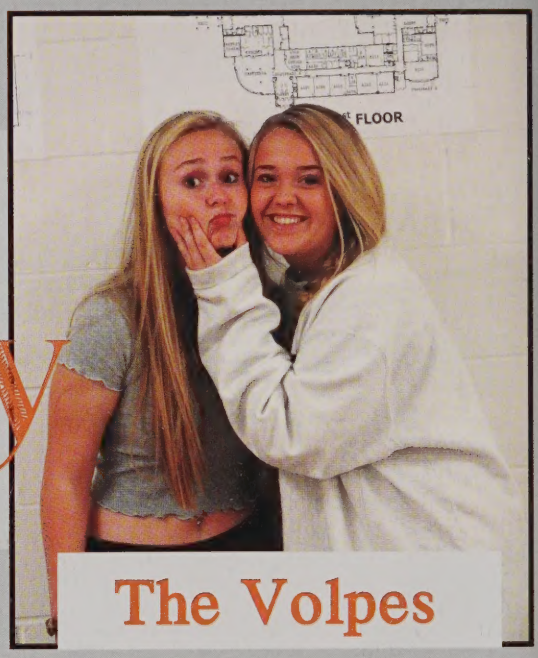


The Belangers

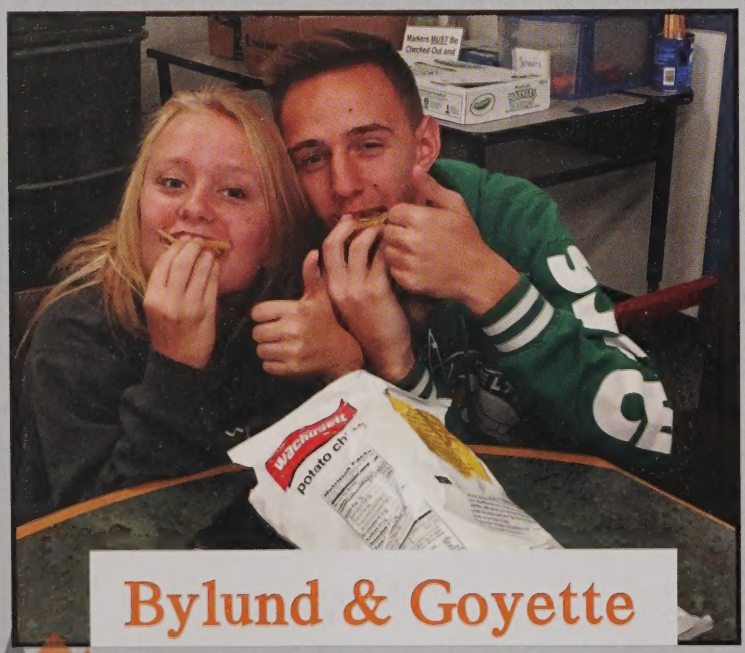


The DeLaCruzes

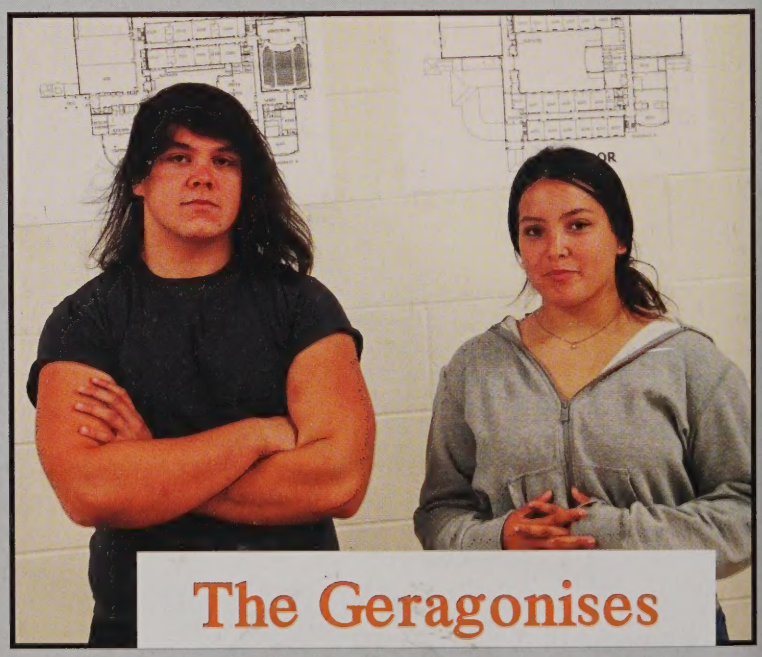
The Staniunases



The Volpes



Bylund & Goyette



The Geragonises

The Murphys

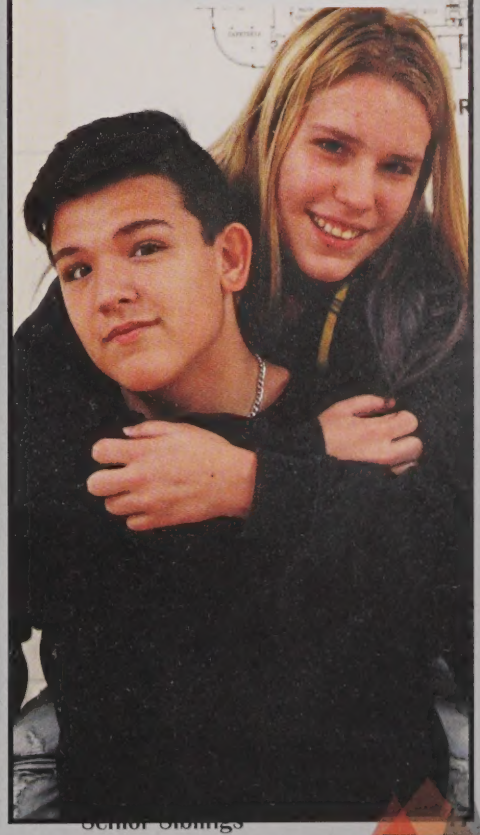
The Perrys

The Meyers

The Lamberts

The Ortizes

The Bedards



Class with

A Vision

Continuing the Journey

OXFORD
PIRATES

Donations

OXFORD
14

3 tickets: Plain waffle with butter and/or syrup
4 tickets: Waffle with any toppings
OHS CLASS of 2023
WAFFLES

Juniors

From left to right: President Joey Szela, Vice President Danielle Johnson, Treasurer Sam Kann, Secretary Delaney Kudron, Advisor Mrs. Cormier
(Not Shown: Co-Advisor Mr. Janerico)

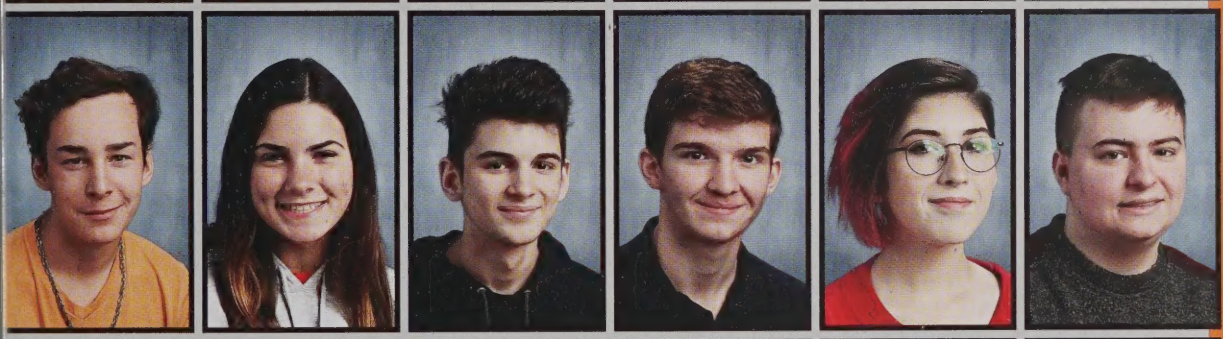
This year has been a complete success for the Class of 2021. Early in the school year, we sold breakfast sandwiches at both Fall Festival and Homecoming. These activities, along with selling baked goods at Student Council's Haunted Hallway, have helped us save money for future endeavors as seniors. Additionally, as a class fundraiser, we sold Butterbraids at Christmas time. We surpassed our goal of raising $500 dollars for our class! In November, our class hosted a successful buffet breakfast for the seniors. Planning for this year's prom has already begun, and we hope it will be a memorable one. The Class Officers look forward to a great senior year with our advisors. We thank Ms. Cormier, Mr. Janerico, and Ms. Looney for their support thus far.

-Joey Szela, Class President

Love Asiamah
Devin Audette
Joshua Austin
Melina Beret
Nickole Biedrzycki
Luke Bonney

Dorothy Bui
Roland Butzke
Isabella Buxton
Taylor Carter
Giovanni Casiano
Seth Christenson

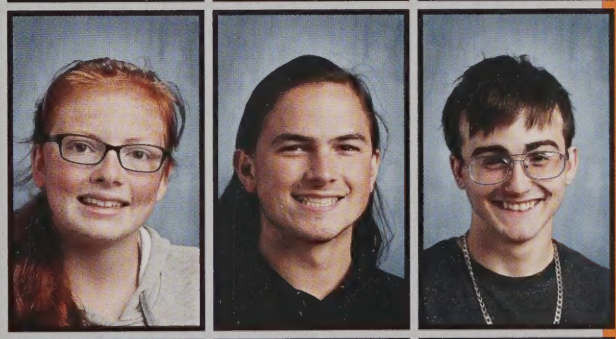
Julia Christo
Adam Clark
Wyatt Cloutier
Tyler Constantine
Douglas Cooney
Christian Cruz



Christopher Curving
Chloe Davis
Anthony
Digeronimo
Joshua Doherty
Cassie Dorr
Cooper Dumas

As Juniors, with the upcoming ability to start driving, what are you most looking forward to? What are you afraid of?

"Looking forward to the freedom, afraid of the constant possibility of an accident"
-Hailey Rodgers



Sara Evans
Aidan Fahey
Tyler Gagnon

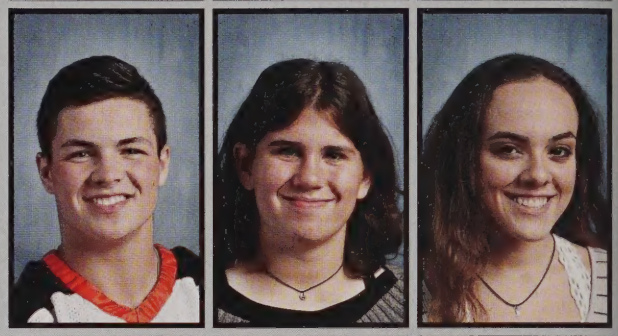
Jayden Garcia
Rachel Gaudette
Shane Gray

"Driving."
-Tyler Constantine

"I was excited for freedom and scared of bills and expenses."
-Tyler Seavey

Ashley Harris
Corinne Holmes
Michael Hurley

Tyler Jacques
Kelly Janerico
Danielle Johnson



Glorimar Jusino Gonzalez
Samuel Kann
Jayson Kidd
Lilly Kinney
Kiarra Kinosian
Delaney Kudron

Madeleine Labrec
Holly Lamountain
James Leite
Blake Lentine
Destiny Lentine
Winston Luu

Sawyer MacPherson
Karlie McCarthy
Ashleigh McGown
Tyler Mello
Nicholas Mercier
Nicolas Micciche

Alexander Montione
Kaitlin Moquin
Madisyn Morris
Robert Nieves Jr
Lilianna O'Malley
Adam Odgren

Jacob Palmer
Lillian Peckham
Haylee Rafferty-Comeau
Darrel Ramos
Laura Richmond
Hailey Rodgers

Ammeilany Rodriguez Rosado
Dylan Saad
Luke Seavey
Tyler Seavey
Peyton Sharry
Amanda Shields

Alena Sierra
Sullivan Smart
Emma Snow
Ella Staltare
Jessica Stutman
Brian Sullivan

Jacob Sullivan
Joseph Szela
Matthew Tessier
Huy Tran
Zackary Urato
Amy Vo

Olotu Wariebi
Declan White
Desmond White
Samuel Wing

"I'm looking forward to being able to go places by myself. I am afraid of making a stupid mistake while I'm driving."
-Kelly Janerico

Not Shown
Makayla Bartlett
Jacob Berkowitz
Emily Ciejka
Kyle Gullbrand
Jenna Huard
Tracy Nguyen
Cristian Nolan
Jenna Rivera
Jay Warman

Sophomores

From left to right: Treasurer Adam Brousseau, President Marialaina Gelineau, Advisor Mrs. Pimentel (Not Shown: Vice President Kyle McGown and Secretary Courtney Briggs)

The class of 2022 made some outstanding progress this year. Between making more money and becoming closer as a class, this year was probably the best one yet! We have donated clothes to local homeless shelters and raised money for our class from Homecoming, the Fall Festival, and other profitable events. Thank you to the class officers and our class advisor Mrs. Pimentel for all of the support. Also thank you to everyone who contributed in making this year a great one! I'm looking forward to what comes ahead for our class and the success that we will achieve.

-Marialaina Gelineau, Class President

Makaila Albert
Mary Alliy
Lilly Alves
Bryanna Anderson
Cole Anderson
Matthew Arndt

Kiley Arpin
Immanuela Asiedu
Kauan Barboza
Kevin Bedard
David Belanger
Courtney Briggs

Evan Brindisi
Adam Brousseau
Matthew Brunnett
Timothy Brunnett
Jelixsa Burgos
Olivia Burnett

What tactics do you plan on using to get through the "high school" hump?

Heather Byrne
Madison Cassella
Kaitlyn Chase

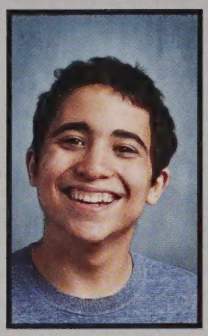
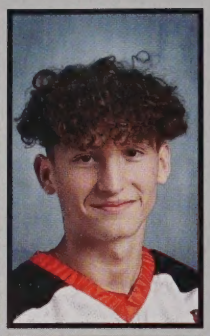
"Try not to procrastinate, get through it one day at a time."
-Abigail McDaniel

Kamron Clark
Olivia Clarkson
Colton Courtemanche

"Idk what the 'hump' is, but taking easier classes."
-Andre Wright

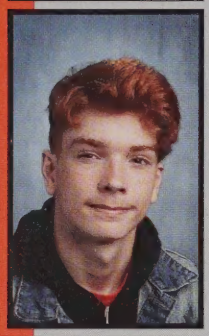
Myles Craft
Olivia Cyr
Devin Deso

Mira Filipkowski
Derek Fino
Steve Fisher

"Keep up the positivity."
-Megan Raymond

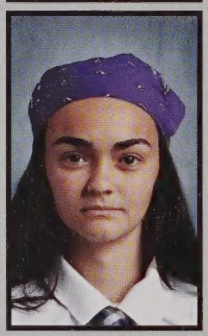
Benjamin Forbes
Lauren Gajewski
Mikayla Garvey

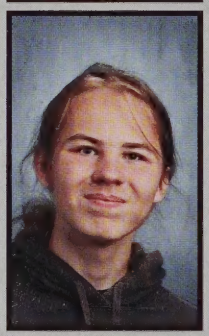


"Taking time for myself, staying organized, getting ahead with homework, using time wisely, and working hard in my classes."
-Molly Raymond

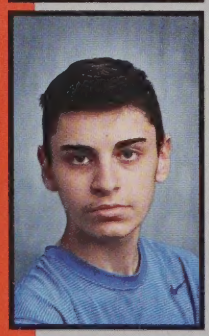
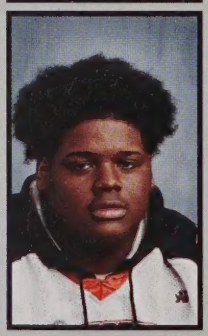
Marialaina Gelineau
Jacqueline Geragonis
Emma Goyette
Alexandra Gray
Sarah Gray
Harper Hutchings

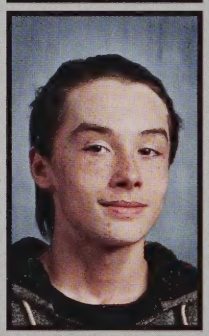
Cooper Jablonski
Brooklin Joubert
Kaden Karnes
Andrew Kimball
Richard Kneeland
Deana Korkidis



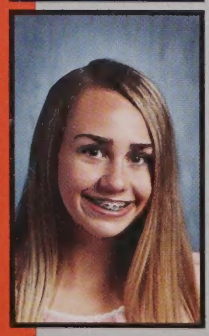


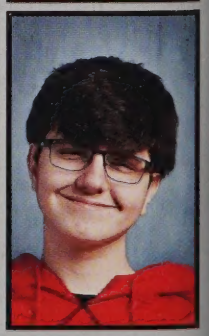
Tanner Labouef
Antoine Lacourt Ramos
Victoria Lemay
Christopher Light
Amber Lyons
Ellie Makowiecki



Katelyn Marshall
Abigail McDaniel
Kathryn McFarland
Kyle McGown
Brett Mills
Benjamin Moquin





Ernest Mundell
Logan Murphy
Julia Obrycki
Elijah Ortega
Eddienel Ortiz
William Owusu

Julian Pabon
Aansi Patel
Alana Purretta
Farreen Qadus
Megan Raymond
Molly Raymond

Errick Rebello
Hailey-Mae Rice
Darius Richardson
Makaela Robinson
Mack Rochette
Roxana Salinas

Catherine Sauter
Chase Savage
Savasta
Hailey Schuller
Samantha Shea
Jaden Sierra
Aaron Smart

Garrett Soucy
Michael Sullivan
Haydelis Torres
Julia Trainor
Nicole Ucher
Erica Valentino

Julie Viola
Samantha Volpe
Greyson Williams
Andre Wright
Samuel Zostant

Not Shown:
Eleazar Cyprien
Idris DeGachi
Roverto Florentino
Gage Jones
Nicholas Lauzon
Tyler Wilson

Freshmen

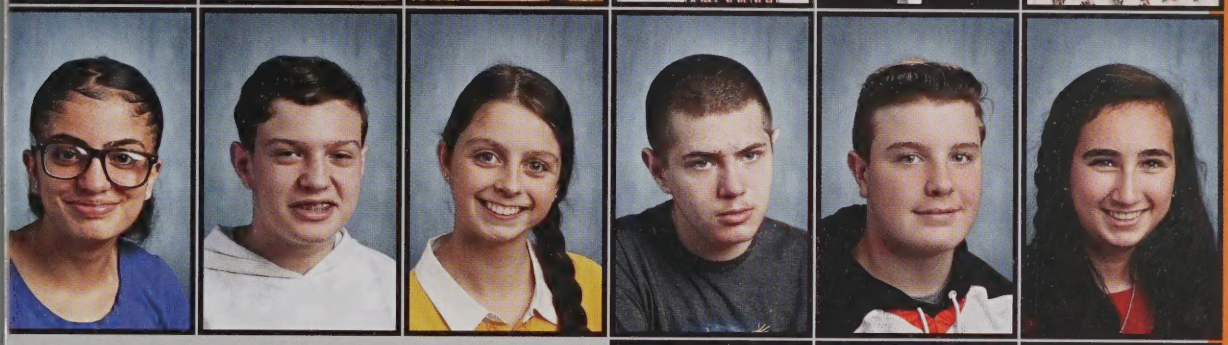
From left to right: Vice President Matthew Szela, Secretary Genevieve Bartlett, President Isabella Biedrzycki, Advisor Ms. Berube

Freshman year was a success for the Class of 2023! I am very proud to be able to be apart of such a passionate class. We had so much fun selling waffles at homecoming, selling bread at the Fall Festival, selling DIY ornaments at Santa's Breakfast and decorating our hallway for Christmas. I look forward to working on more fundraisers and seeing what our grade will accomplish within the next few years. I appreciate all the officers, our advisor Mrs. Berube and students for all their participation and help in raising money and showing spirit for the class of 2023!

- Isabella Biedrzycki, Class President

Hannah Alvarez
Noah Amero
Peyton Annese
Payton Banfill
Genevieve Bartlett
Logan Bazin

Travis Benoit
Christopher Best
Isabella Biedrzycki
Samuel Boucher
Brandon Brodeur
Abbie Brouthers



Jalexsia Burgos
Benjamin Burke
Zoe Butzke
Caleb Cesaitis
Quinn Clarkson
Carly Cornacchioli

What advice would you give to the 8th graders to help them survive this year?

Claire Crossman
Ashley DeJesus
Kaitlyn DeJesus

"Make at least one good friend who you can trust."
-Emma Robertson

Aidan Diamond
Makenzie Durgin
Marissa Durgin

Be positive & try your best."
-Yasmin Silva Rosa

Jayden Dussault
Lily Eastman
Mikayla Escolas

Mackenzie Evers
Edward Flores
Edwin Flores
Abigayle Frappier
Anthony Gabrila
Hallie Gaudette

Ciara Gendron
Skylah Goodrich
Jonathan Gordon
Bereliz Guardado
Paige Gustafson
Lillian Harvey

Anthony Jancewicz
Tyler Kasprzycki
Jenna Katsoulis
Teagan Keefe
Joshua Knecht
Jacob Labelle

Lucas Lambert
Alex Leary
Maritza Lindberg
Emily Carolyn Lucena
Alyssa Mantzios
Kenneth Mead

Caissie Meyer
Mikayla Moore

"Don't be afraid to branch out and make new friends."
-Isabella Biedrzycki

Kai Moquin
Brielle Morse

"Don't skip class and do your homework."
-Jenna Katsoulis

Ana Neves
Lydia Nieber
Lily Nolin
Brayden O'Connell
Anthony O'Rourke
Sebastian Pabon

Zak Parmenter
Rose Pelletier
Allycia Perry
Hannah Pierce
Patrick Reed
Evan Remington

Brianna Rivera
Emma Robertson
Abigail Rochette
Yalitza Rodriguez
Autumn Roman
Zachary Roos

Robert Shaw
Kiley Shea
Yasmin Silva Rosa
Adrianna Sliwoski
Evelyn Smith
Leigha Staniunas

Alexis Steiger
Matthew Szela
Evelyn Torosian
Mackenzie Vieira
Mariah Vieira
Ryan Vo

Terrell Watsin
Dylan Wilson
Benjamin Wing

Not Shown:
Ilyes DeGachi
Anthony Devish
Colin Dupuis
Jasmine Kimani
Abigail Lovelace
Katelyn MacConnell
Ariana Marquez
Gabriela Medina Rivera
Brett Mills
Jadan Morales
Richard Nieves
Paris Russell
Angelina Steiger
Jacob Thebeau
Jailyn Wariebi

8th Grade

From left to right: Treasurer Andrew Shultz, President Abigail Alicandro, Vice President Gianna Pantalone, Secretary Abby Lewis
(Not shown: Advisor Ms. Nugent)

As students of Oxford high school walk the halls, they come equipped with different talents academically, aesthetically, and artistically. Spending time in this school has added more knowledge to their growing minds. They have not only played in high school sports, but have made large contributions to their varsity teams. Our students have strived and been successful in high school level classes and clubs. Our eighth graders participated in so much. The eighth grade has not shied away from competitions with the upperclassman. We participated in Deck the Halls and Spirit Week. You will see our pictures and words in our school newspapers, as well as local newspapers and websites. We made a mark as the youngest members of the high school. Going from being the oldest in the middle school to the youngest in the high school, you would think that is a hard transition. Not for our class. Our eighth grade students realized that we could accomplish and be a part of everything that our high school has to offer. I, Abigail Alicandro am a proud member and contributor with this outstanding group of students. We will keep aiming higher as a class and we will keep showing our community that our high school is producing students ready for success. Believe in yourself and all that you are eighth grade, no one can hold you back.
-Abigail Alicandro, Class President

Joseph Ackerman-Strong
Jenna Albert
Abigail Alicandro
Manny Aponte
Connor Aubin
Jaiden Baillargeon

Sophia Balestracci
Matthew Beals
Kristiana Benvenuti
Michael Biancaniello
Michael Biando
Caeley Bishop

Kvke Boliver
Ryan Bray
Samantha Buchanan
Kenzie Bylund
Evan Byrnes
Allison Carney

What was going through your head the first day of high school?

"I was nervous and excited at the same time. I was excited to see my friends and to make new ones but nervous I would get lost and have an awkward day. But it all turned out fine and I'm loving high school."
-Caeley Bishop

"A lot of stress on trying to find my classes."
-Samantha Buchanan

Kayla Carrier
Juliana Cartagena
Brielle Christenson

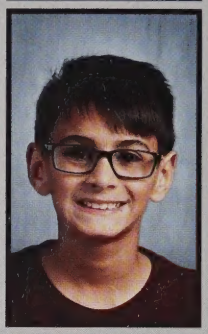
Matthew Conway
Andrew Curving
Lillian Cybula

Pedro Augusto Da Silva
Gabriel Dadah
Elizabeth Davis

Hayden Davis
Emma DeJong
Andrew Demicco

"On the first day of high school there was so much stuff going through my tiny head. I was scared of the older kids saying stuff about me even though no one in the upper grades said a word to me, but they did smile at me. I went from being a nervous wreck to being calm because everyone was nice."
-Jacob Gendron

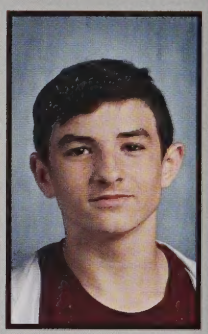
Jonathan Desmarais
Austin Deso
Andrew Dip



Kaila Donahue
Seely
Kaylynn Dvareckas
Alexandra Dwinell

"Scared and anxious because it was a new school."
-Evan Byrnes

Jake Dwinell
Connor Fantasia
Rihanna Ferraro
Alex Figueroa
Cole Finizza
Robert Fisher



Jenna Gajewski
Jacob Gendron
Seth Grady
Marcus Graham
Deshawn Green
Myah Guivas

Lauren Gullbrand
Jacob Hackett
Jake Harris
Natalie Hayes
Ashlyn Hebert
Mya Hernandez

Derek Hosley
Tessa Howard
Kenny Huang
Cody Huard
Matthew Hutchins
Nicholas Jablonski

Kaydin Jacques
Madeleine Jean
Keziah Jefferson
Carlee Jordan
Kylee Karnes
Angelica Kopec

Cory Krantz
Daniel Kudron
Nicole Laia
Miles LaMountain-Perron
Cameron Lavallee
Abby Lewis

"I was super scared, and I did not know what to expect, but after a few weeks of the rotation, I got used to it."
-Arianna Stukowski

Nolan Libby
Savahna Lomba
Hannah Lorre

"I was kind of nervous because I was hoping I wouldn't get lost or something. I also didn't like how almost everyone in the other grades are taller than me. It was kind of cool though and I liked most of my teachers, although some had things that I didn't like."
-Jess Parent

Nicolas Machado
Catherine Magnusson
Brady Margoupis

Kylie Maryyanek
Keith Mason
Mackenzie Masters

Payton McCarraher
Conner McGee
Trever Millette

"I was nervous, yet excited for the new year."
-Aurora Voas

Kristina Montione
Marissa Moore
Gavin Nawrocki

"Wow I made it all this way. This schools kinda big but I'll figure it out. Wish me luck for the next 5 years."
-Carlee Jordan

Dominic Nitti
Madison Nolin
Melanie Noonan

"The first day of school, I was stressed out and nervous, but then towards the end, I got more comfortable."
-Faith Southwick

Anais Ortiz
Noelia Ortiz
Kylie Osnoe
Gianna Pantalone
Jessica Parent
Jayden Parker

Krrish Patel
Mia Penney
Alexander Perry
Nicholas Perry
Colin Plante
Makayla Prochnow

Kaylei Prunier
Reese Reynolds
Emma Rice
Jewelisa Richardson
Genesis Rivera
Kaycie Rodgers

Jorge Rojado
Jeremiah Rojas
Jorge Rosado
Adrianna Roszkowski
Zachary Roy
Zachary Sabotka

Roberto Salinas
Mario Sanfilippo
Cody Sexton
Alexa Sherwin
Andrew Sherwin
Andrew Shultz

Alexis Silva
Catherine Sirard
Cameron Small
Shayla Smart
Logan Snow
Faith Southwick

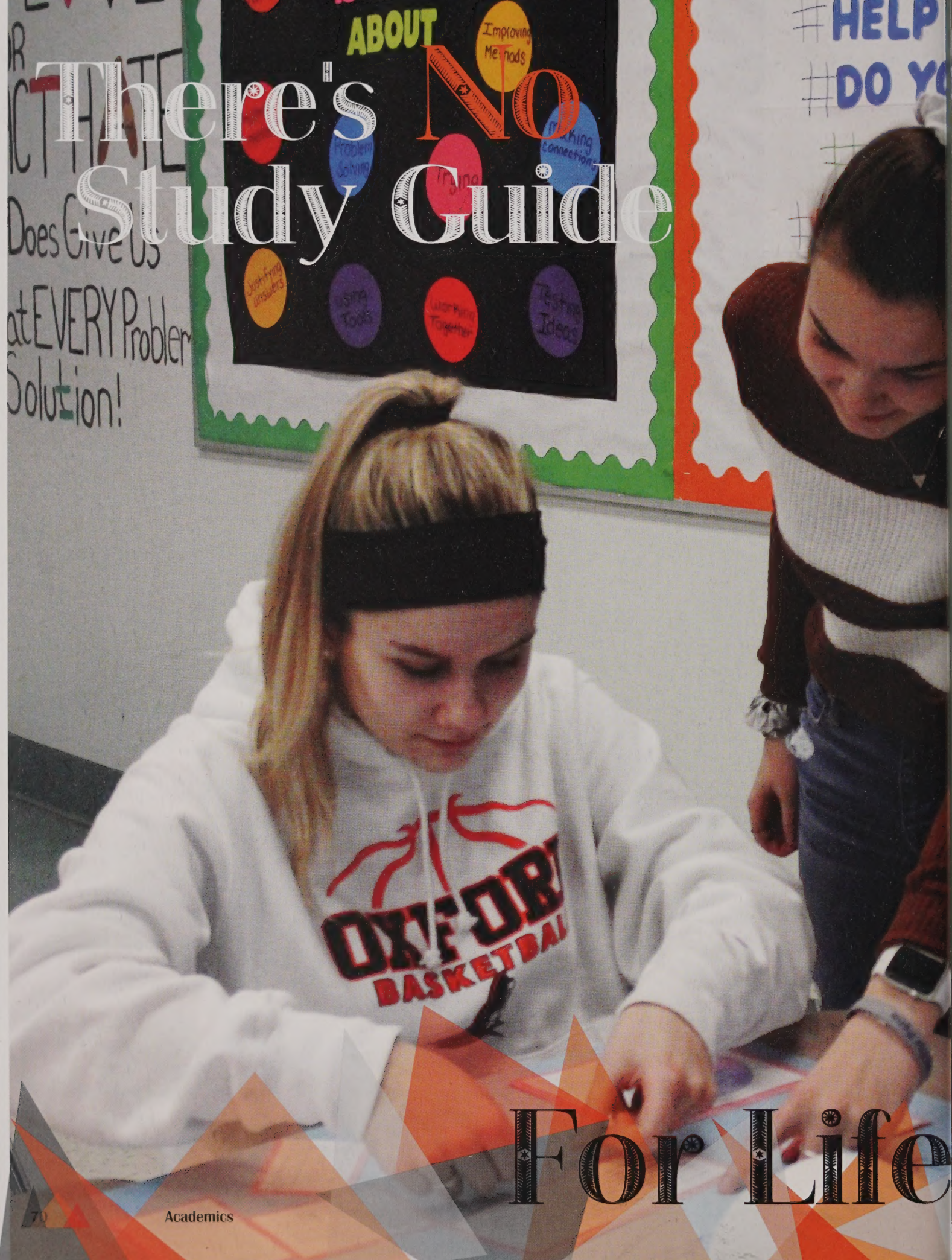
Brady Staniunas
Matthew Stuart
Arianna Stukowski
Alan Suklis
Sydney Torres
Ace Tyrrell

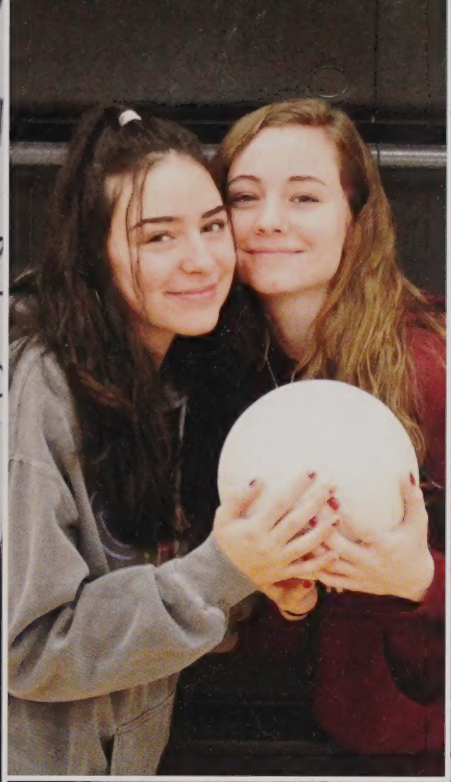
Cole Vignali
Skyla Vincent
Aurora Voas
Dylan Welton
Nathan Whittemore
Charlotte Worster

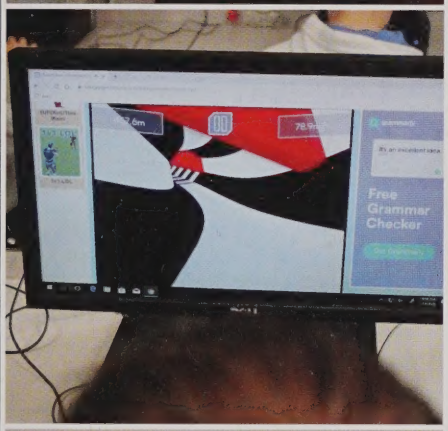
"I realized this was way better than middle school."
-Catherine Magnusson

Not Shown:
Jordan Deleon
Brady Hicks

There's No Study Guide For Life



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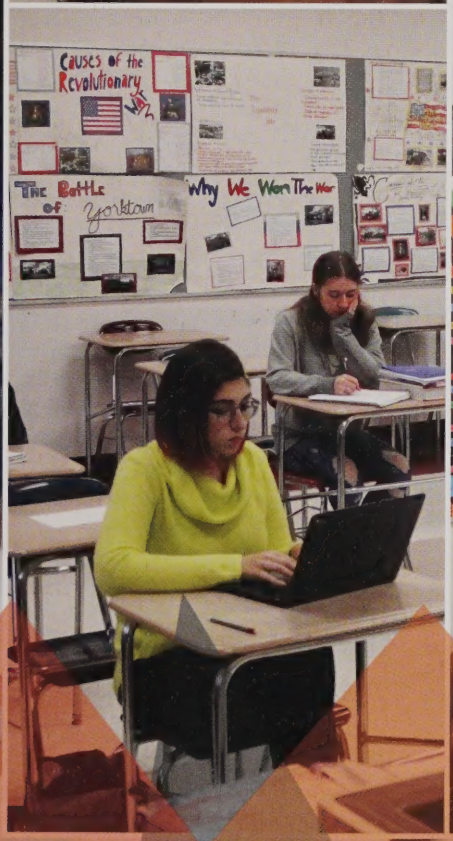
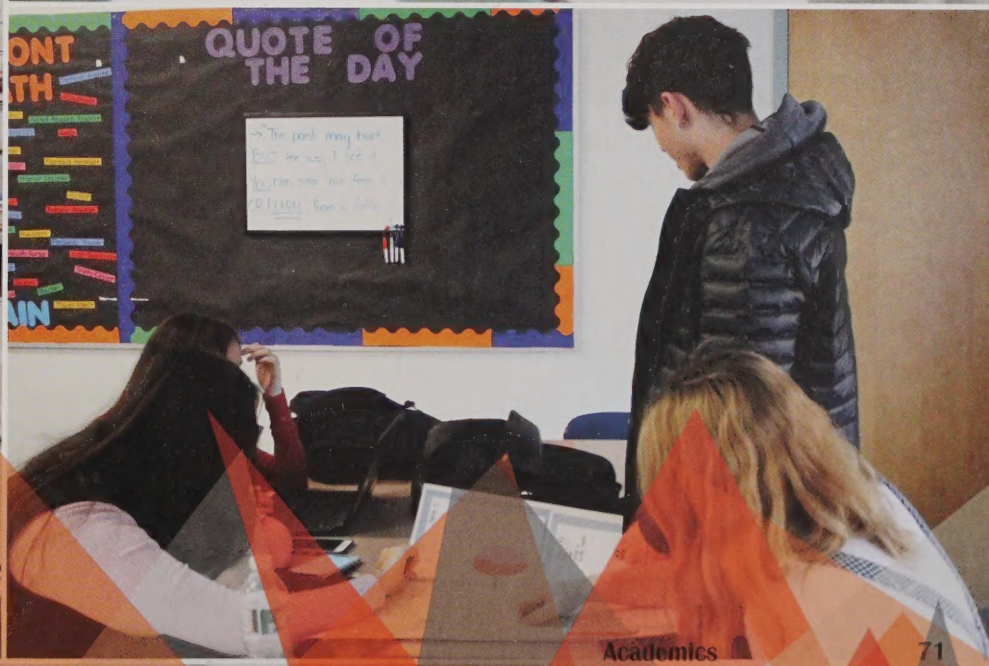
Grammar
Checker


Causes of the Revolutionary
The Battle of Yorktown
Why We Won The War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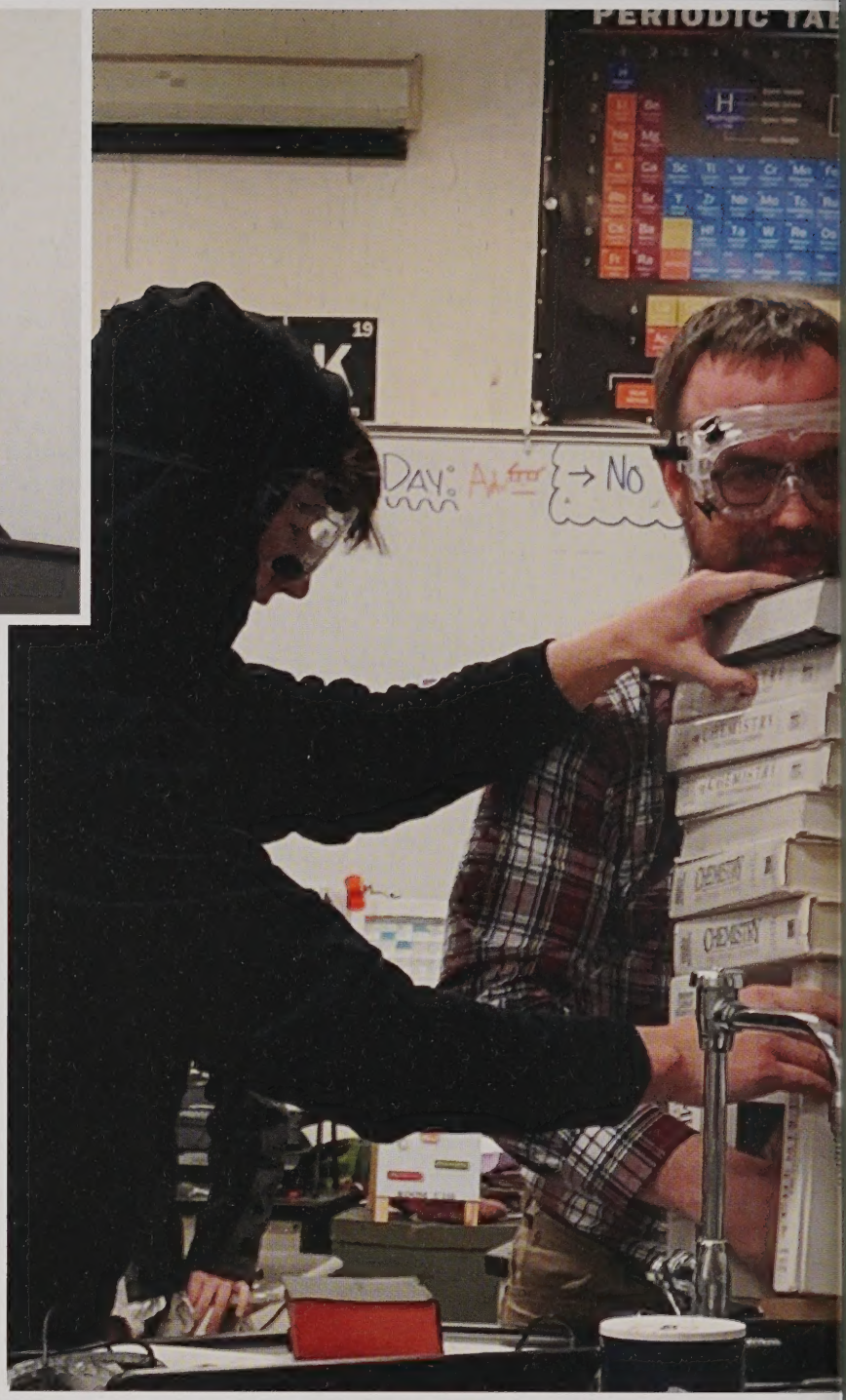
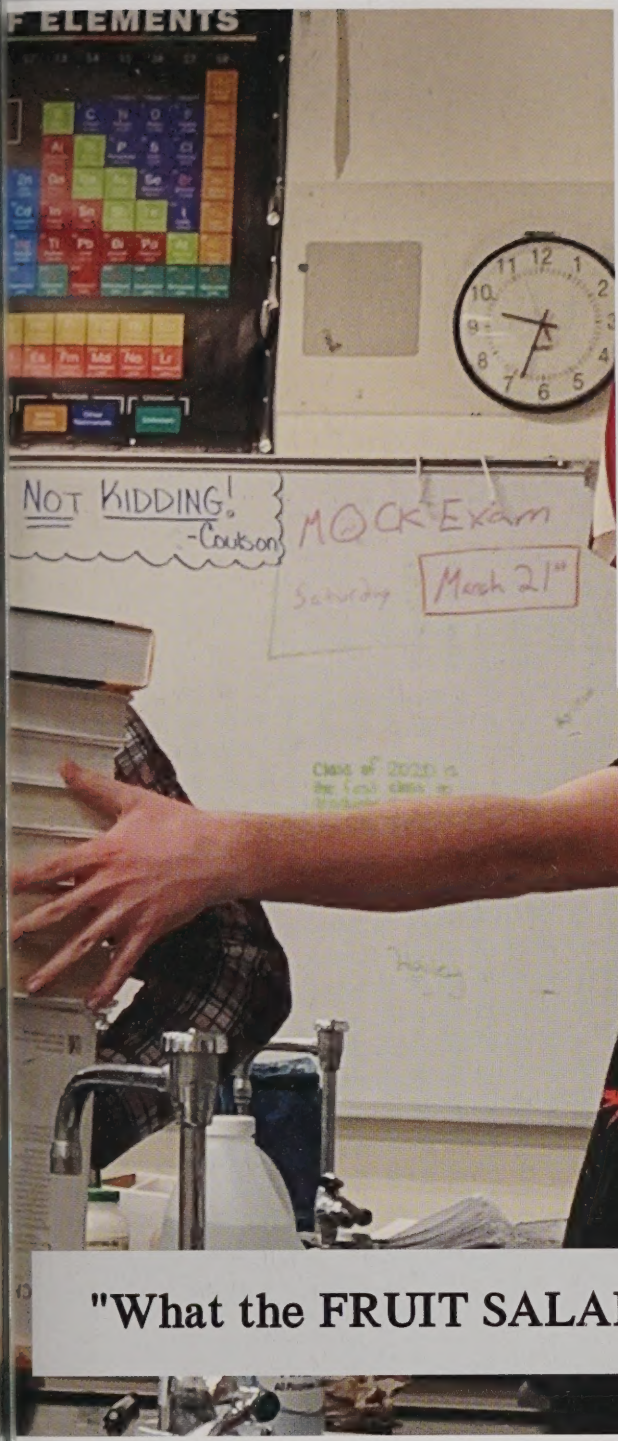


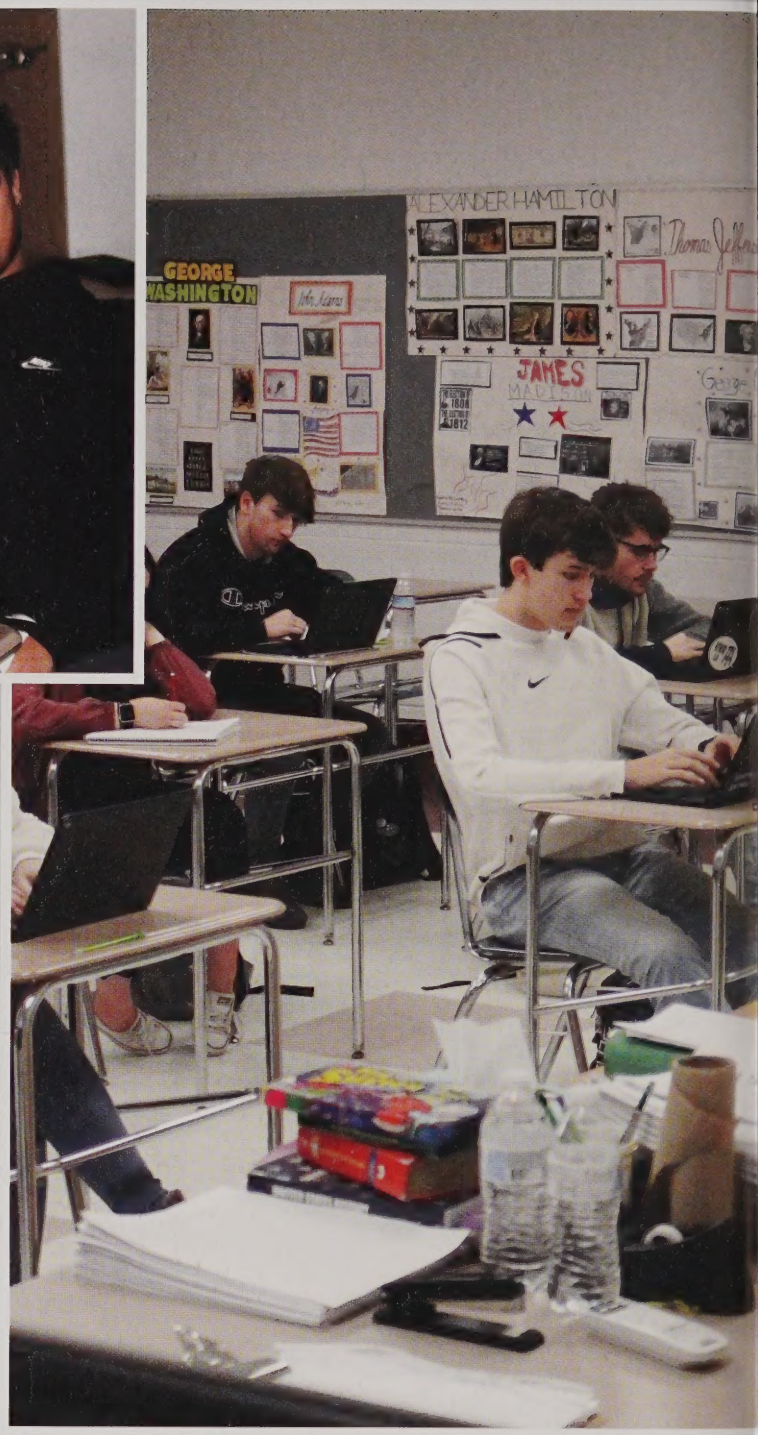
Would You Rather...

Have 4 day school weeks, with school starting at 7:15	68.5%
Have school start at 9:00 everyday, while going to school 5 days a week	31.5%

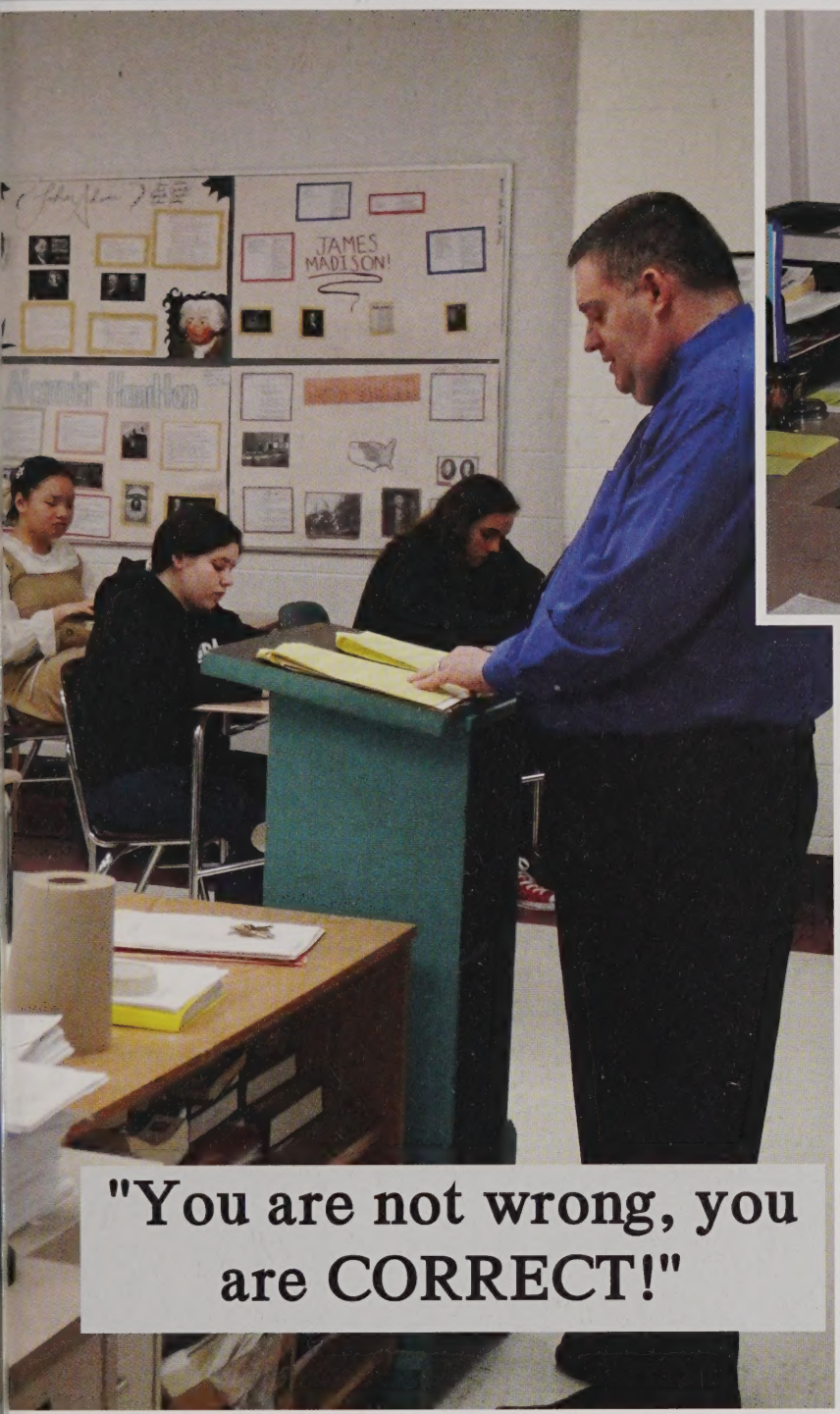


"What the FRUIT SALAD!"

Multiples & Molecules



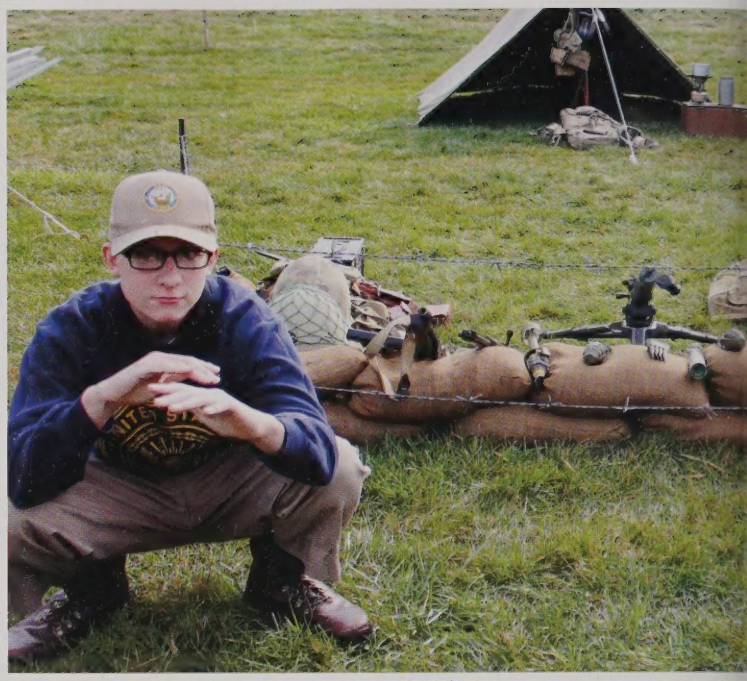
Reading Into the Past



"You are not wrong, you are CORRECT!"

Would you rather...

Read a Novel	84.7%
Read a Textbook	15.3%

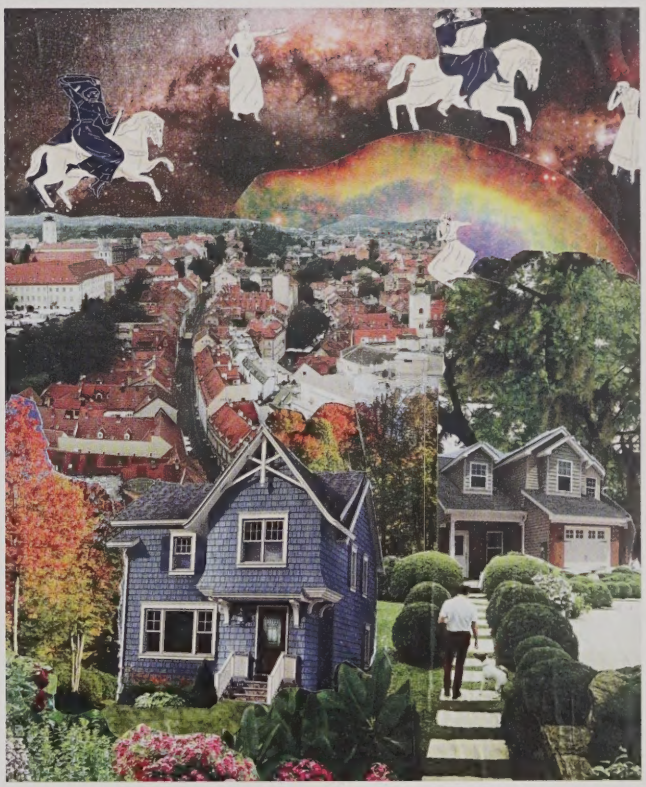


Would You Rather...

Write a 5 page essay	35.6%
Complete a 5 minute presentation	64.4%

Full Speed Ahead

Our Masterpieces



Would You Rather...

Be able to sleep all class	52.8%
Be able to be on your phone all class	47.2%

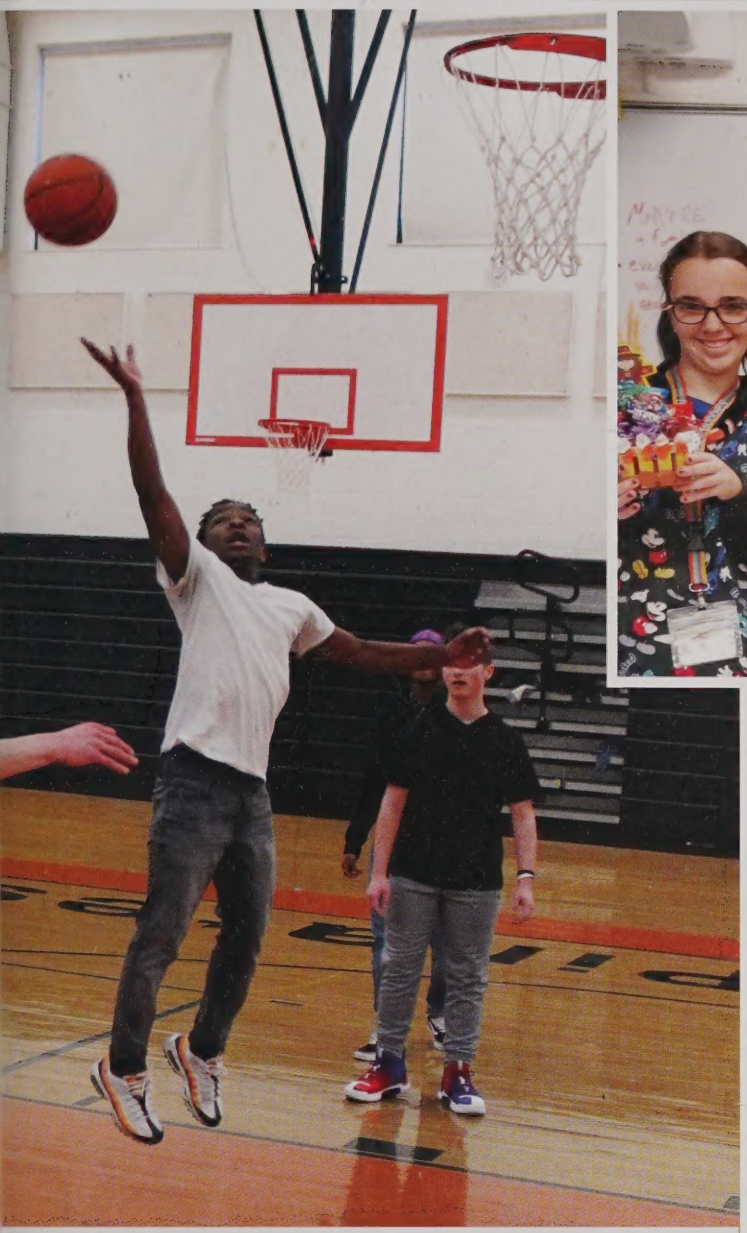
Senior Polls:

As seniors, what would you say is the most valuable/ useful class you took at OHS?

Financial Literacy

Over the past four years, which teacher has given you the best advice?

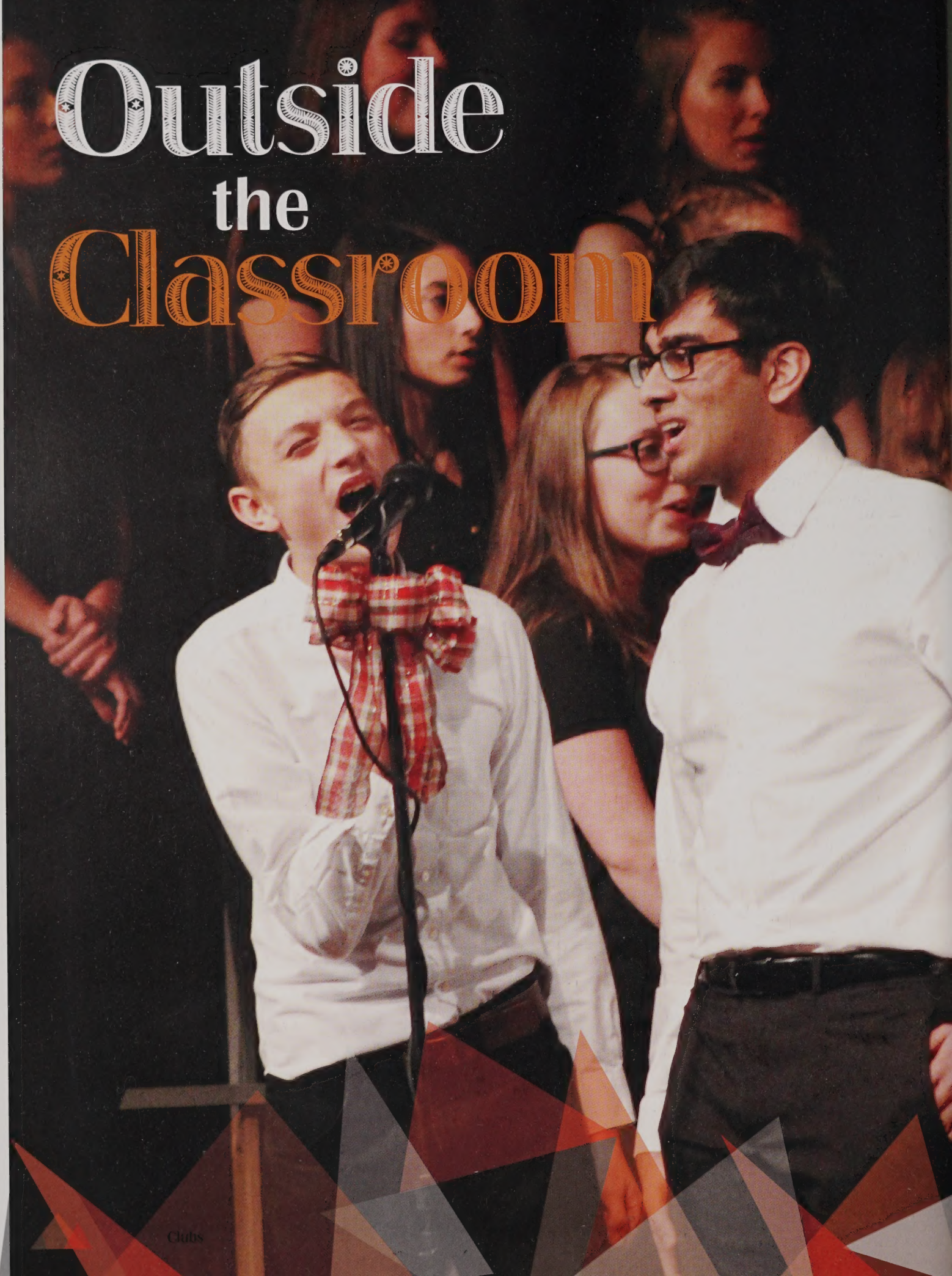
Mrs. Rutkiewicz and Mr. Harvey



"Do we really have to go outside?"

Away from the Desk

Outside the Classroom



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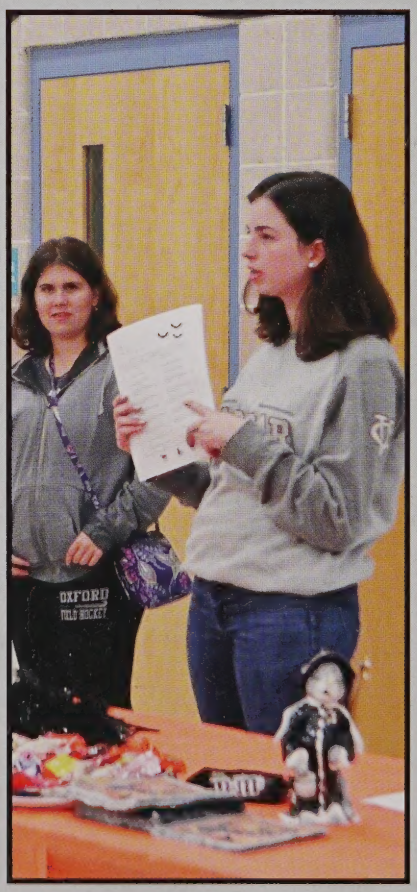
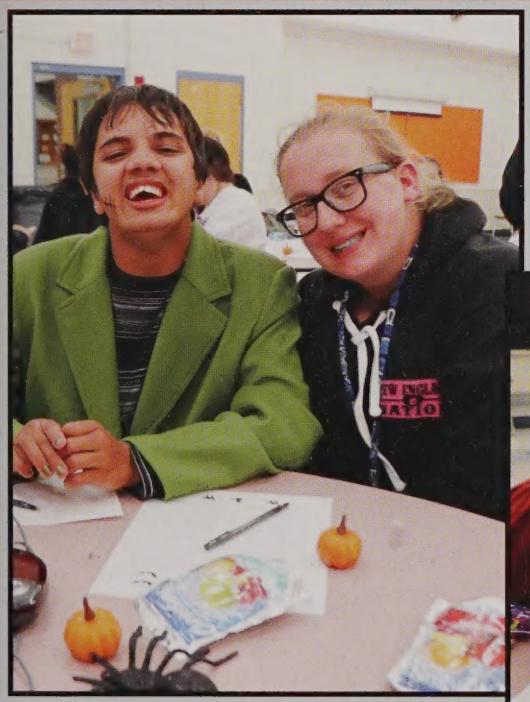


From left to right: Co-Presidents Peyton Coonan and Molly Cook, Vice President Trinity Fuller, Secretary Sarah Kersting-Mumm, Treasurer Joey Szela, Co-Historians Kelly Janerico and Amy Vo
Advisors: Lisa Greene and Missi McConnell

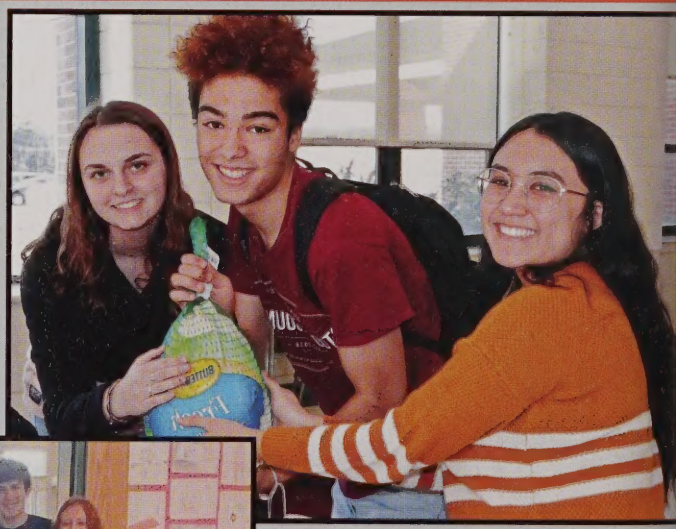


Tommy and Molly reuniting at the Best Buddies Matching party in October.

Associate members Rachel and Danielle at the matching party coloring and befriending each other.

Amy and Ashley looking their best at the matching party as a Despicable Me Minion and as Spiderman.

Eboard: Ms. Castonguay, Jacob Berkowitz, Cassie Dorr, Joey Szela, Rachel Storey, Darrel Ramos, Molly Cook, Danielle Johnson, Ashleigh McGown (Missing: Mr. Button)



Above Picture: Ms. Castonguay "whipping" the van on the way to the Officershop at Holy Cross

Side Picture: Council members attending Unified Bocce at Minnechaug High

Above Picture: Leaders working hard to supply the Oxford Ecumenical Food Shelf with Thanksgiving dinners for families in need.

Our Leaders

Do Small Things With Great Love

Officers: Nickole Biedrzycki, Sam Meech, Sam Kann, Rachel Storey, Sarah Kersting-Mumm, Suzie Lambert, Joey Szela, Molly Cook, Ashleigh McGown (Missing: Peyton Coonan, Amy Vo, Nick Mercier)

Advisor Ms. Nugent stuffing the NHS basket for the Turkey Run

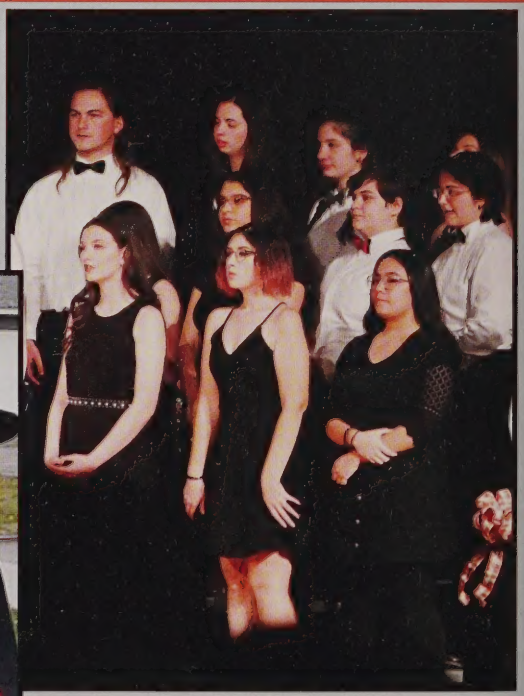
NHS members participating in the Wreaths Across America Event

Members making origami at their day of service event

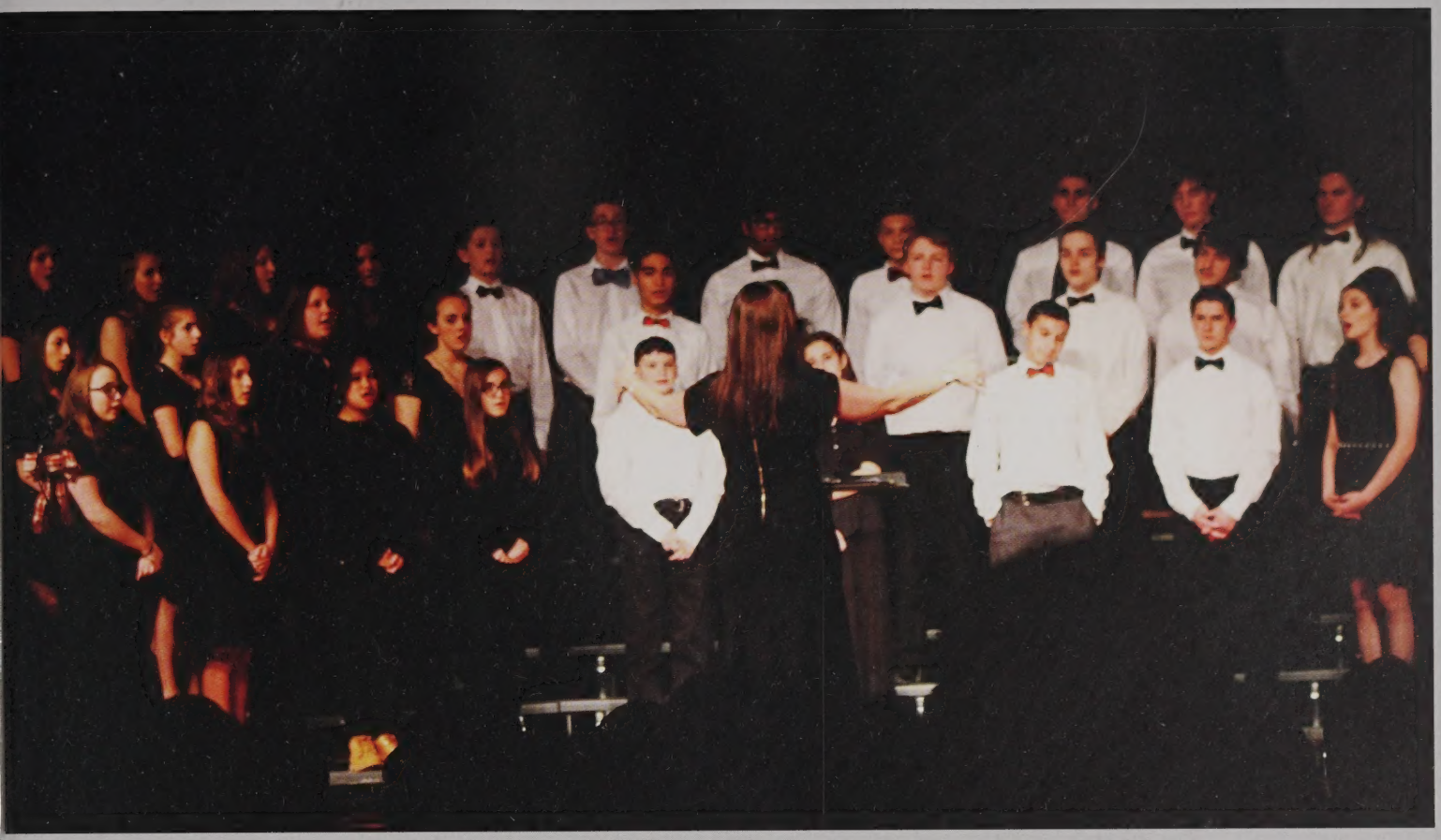
Band Officers
Captain: Aidan Fahey, 1st Lieutenant: Sawyer MacPherson, 2nd Lieutenant: Ella Staltare, Sergeant: Cassie Dorr

Percussionist Josh McCarty during the Jazz Band's performance

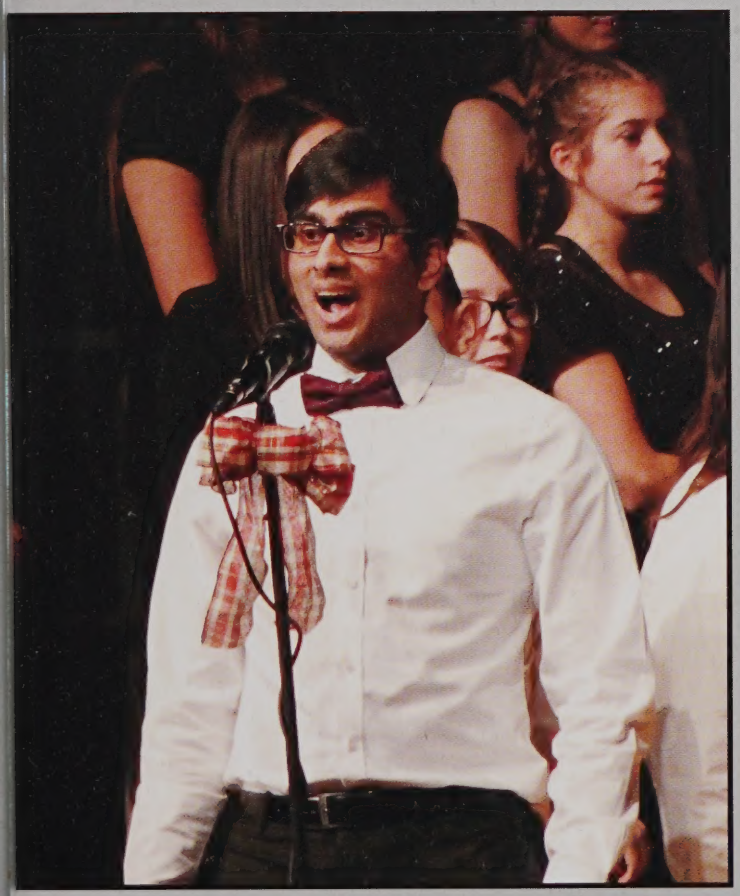
The band performing at the grand re-opening for McDonald's



The OHS Chrous at their winter concert



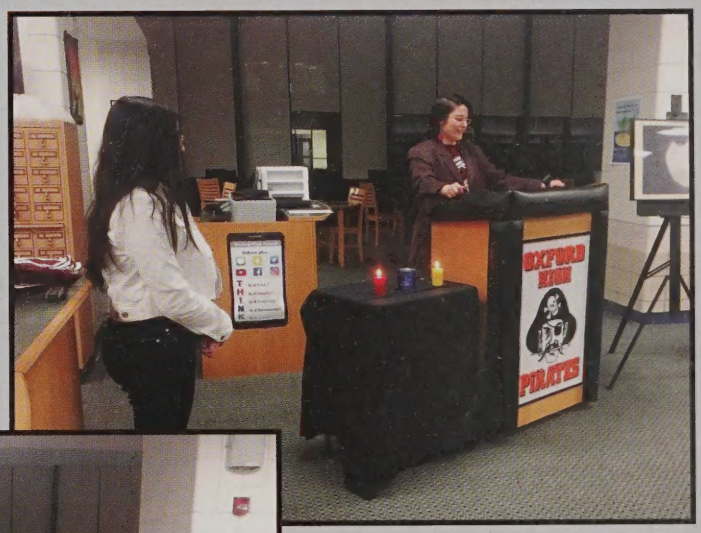
Pirate Musicians

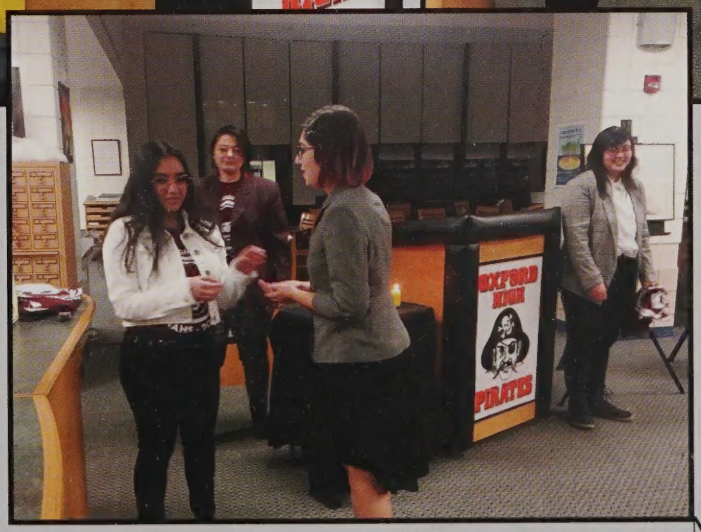


Future Picassos

Officer Names: Jess Stutman, Hal Carlson, Cassie Dorr, Rachel Gaudette

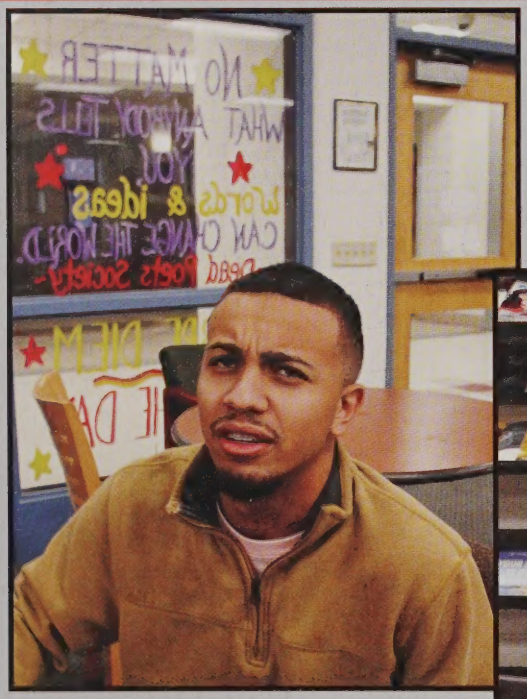
Hal lighting the candles that represent the NAHS pillars





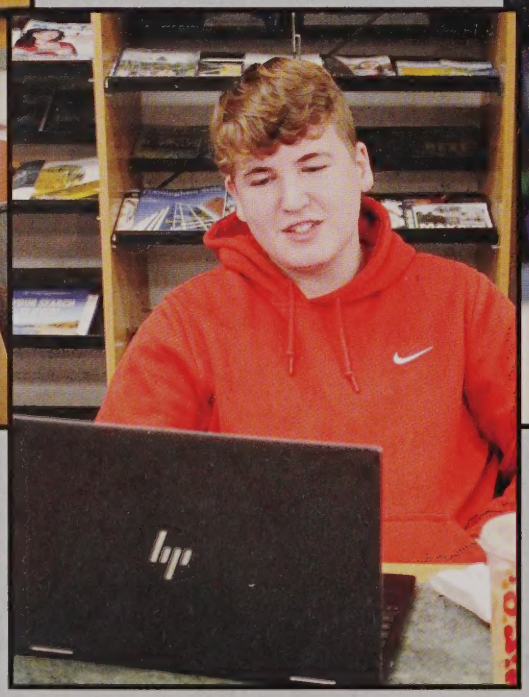
Congrats to the newly inducted NAHS members!

Staff: Tyler Jacques, Peyton Coonan, Liam Jessie, Justin Freeland, Ms. Castonguay, Justice DeLaCruz, Ella Staltare, Molly Cook, Olivia Cyr



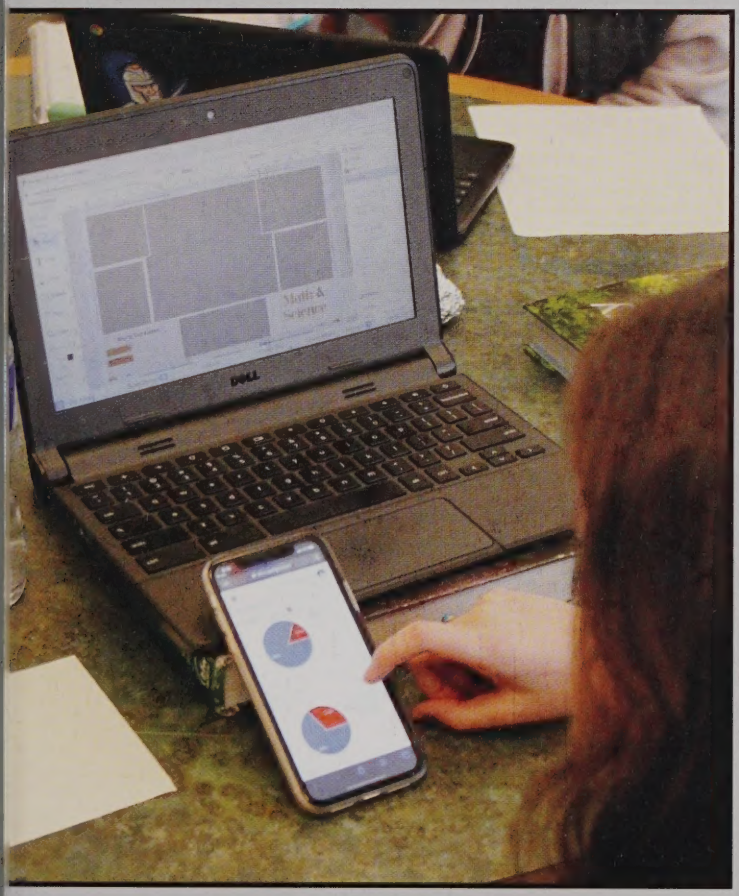
"What am I working on?"

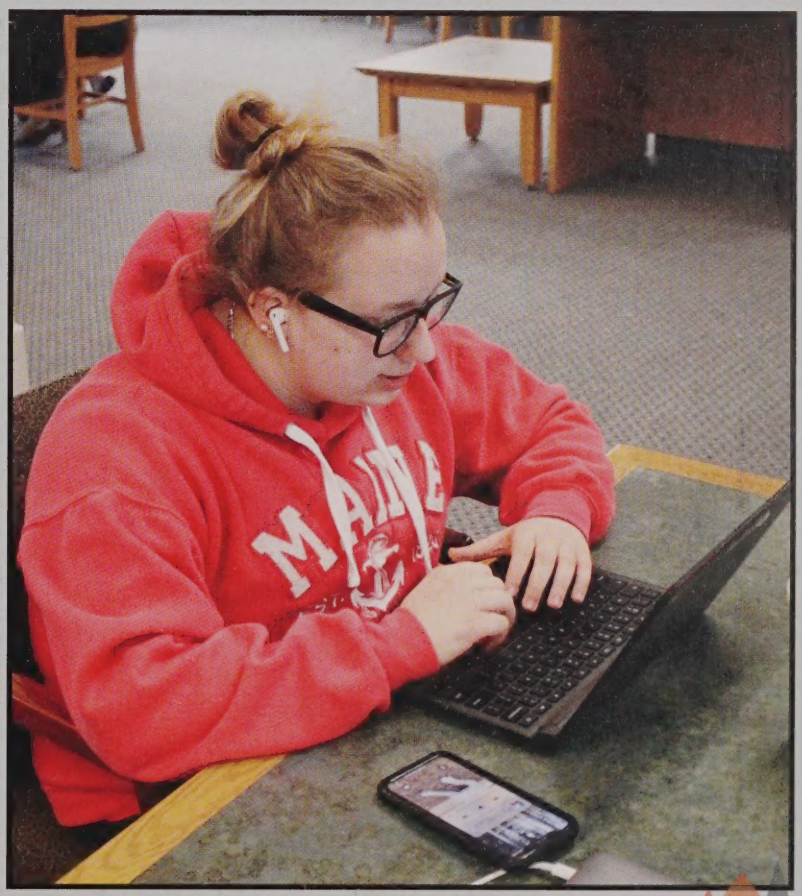
Working hard or hardly working?



Ms. Castonguay smiling through the pain of making this book

Behind the Scenes





Keeping it Eventful

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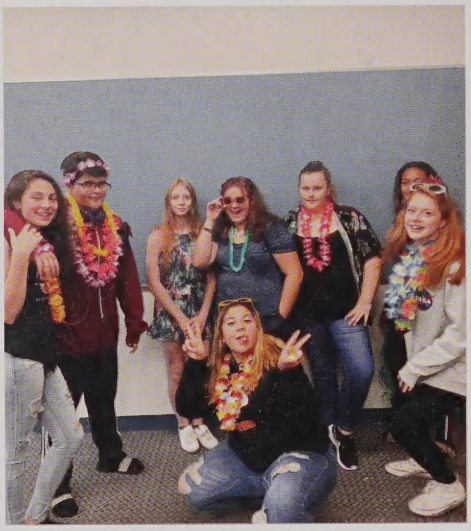
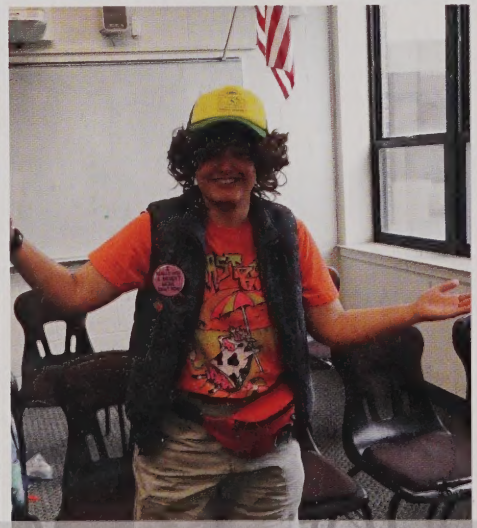
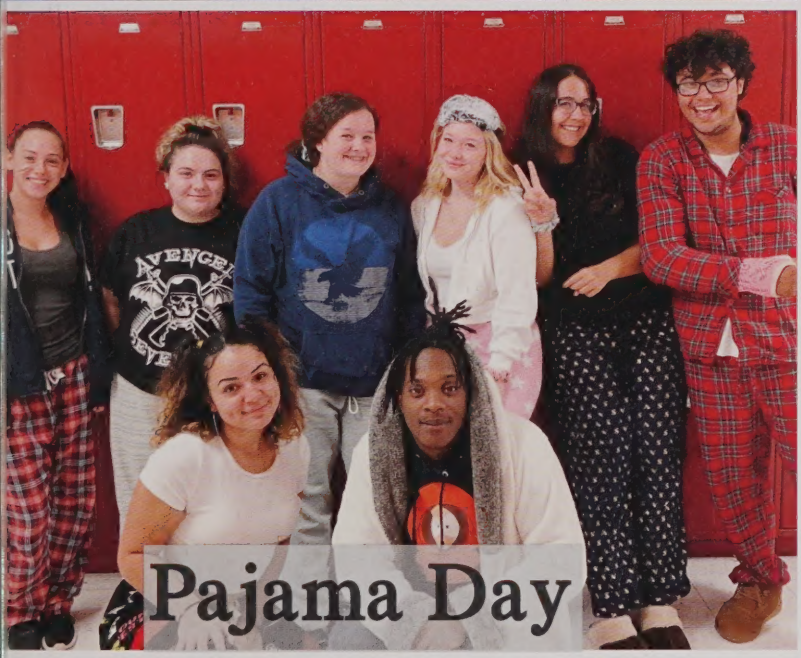


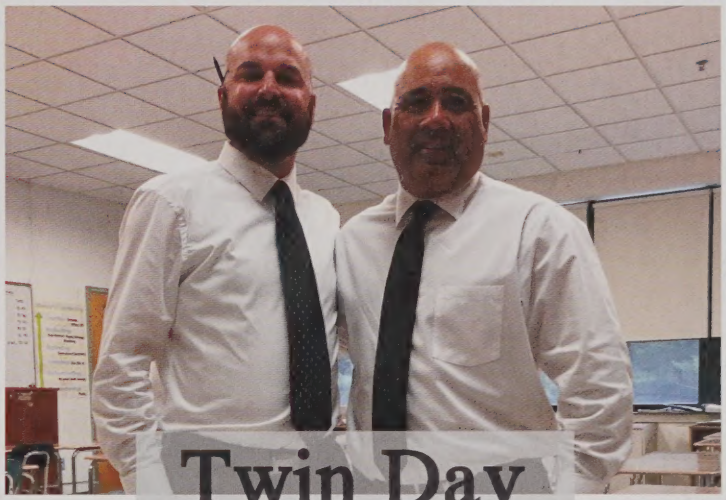


Movie/TV Character Day

Tropical Day



Pajama Day



Twin Day

Kindred Spirits

Night on the Red Carpet

Homecoming Court

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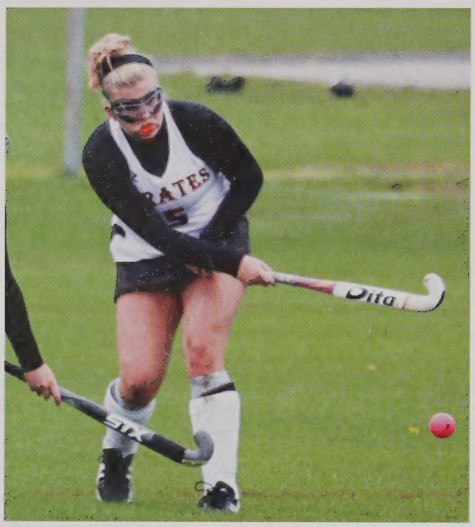
Half & Half



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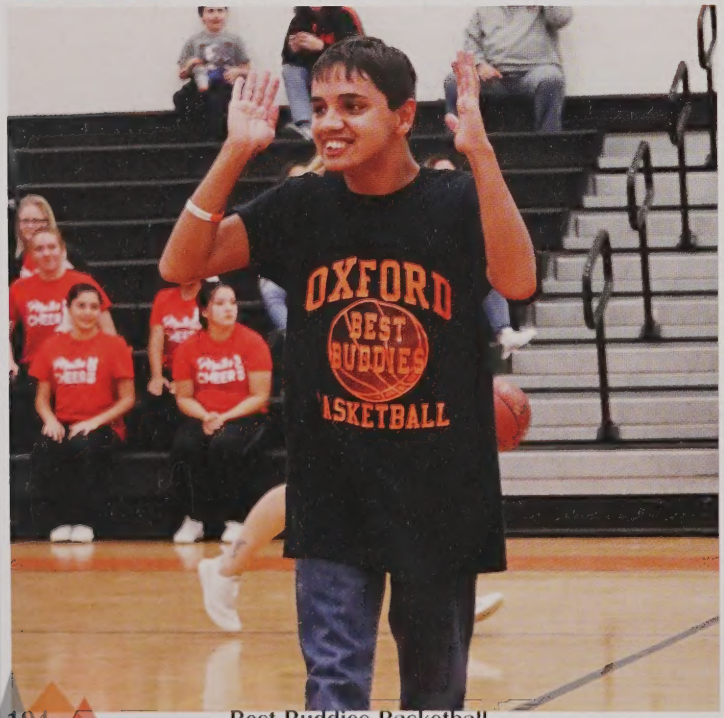
Pirates UNITE



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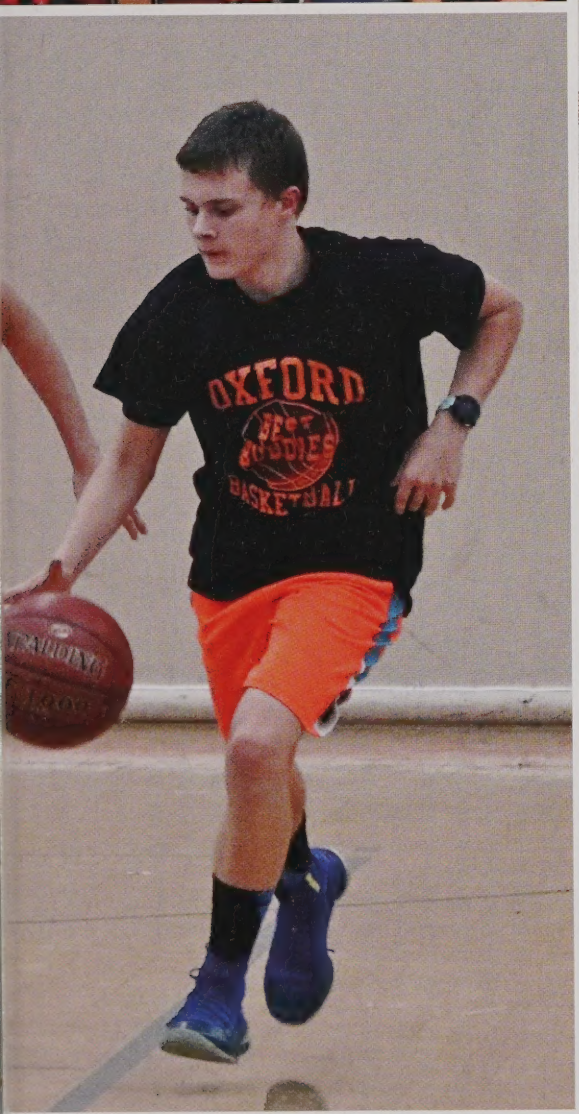
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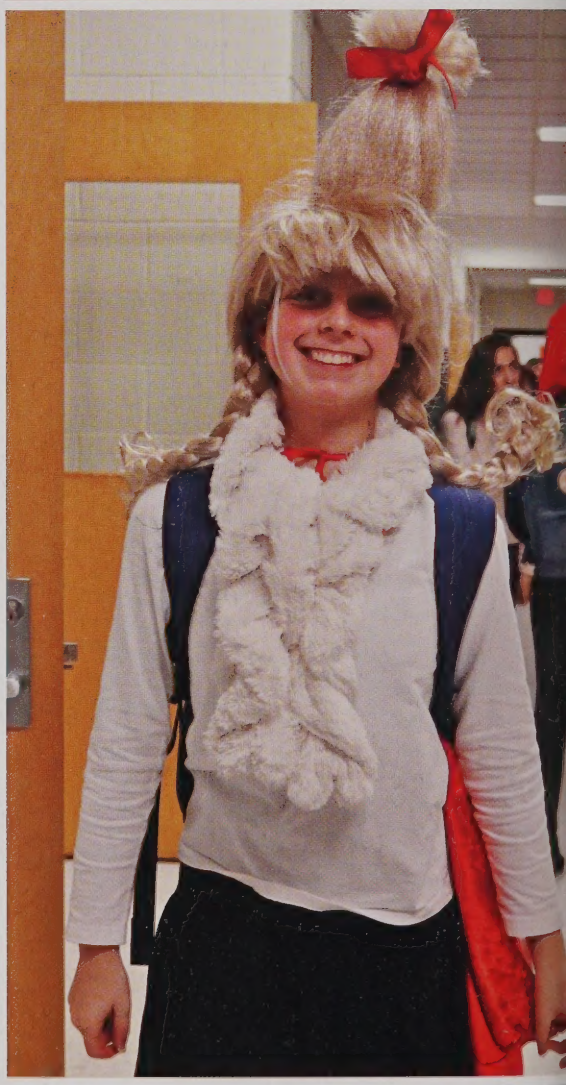
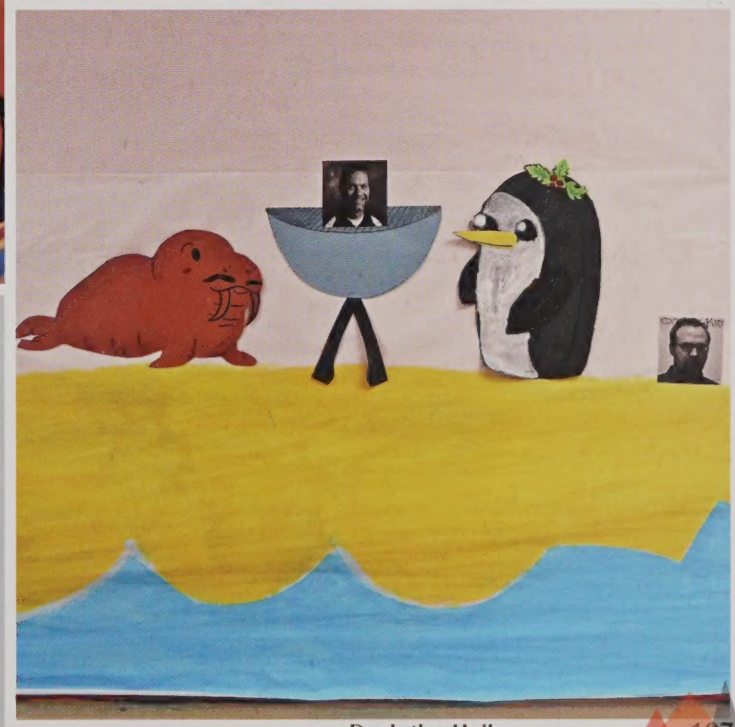
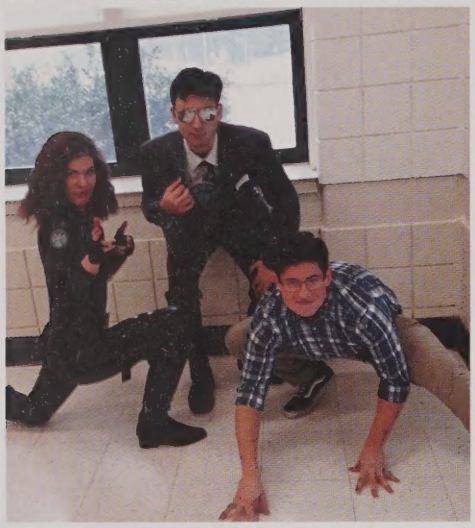


Fall into the Holiday Season



Follow the Yellow Brick Road

EMERALD CITY
KANSAS
yellow brick road
Munchkinland



Athlete vs Mathlete Day

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Decade Day

We Have SPIRIT

Let the Games BEGIN

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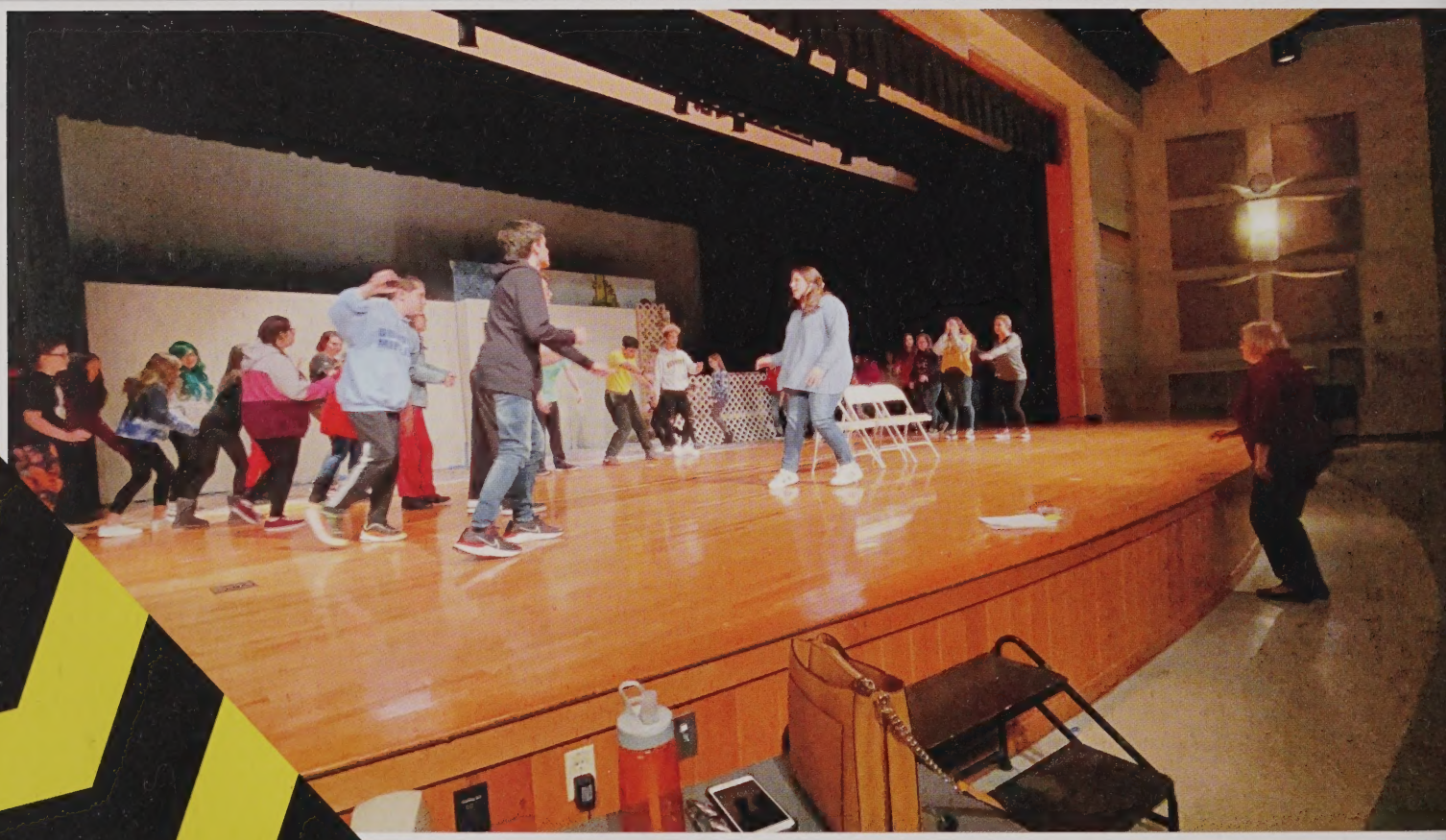
You are the dancing queen



Young and sweet

Stuck in QUARANTINE

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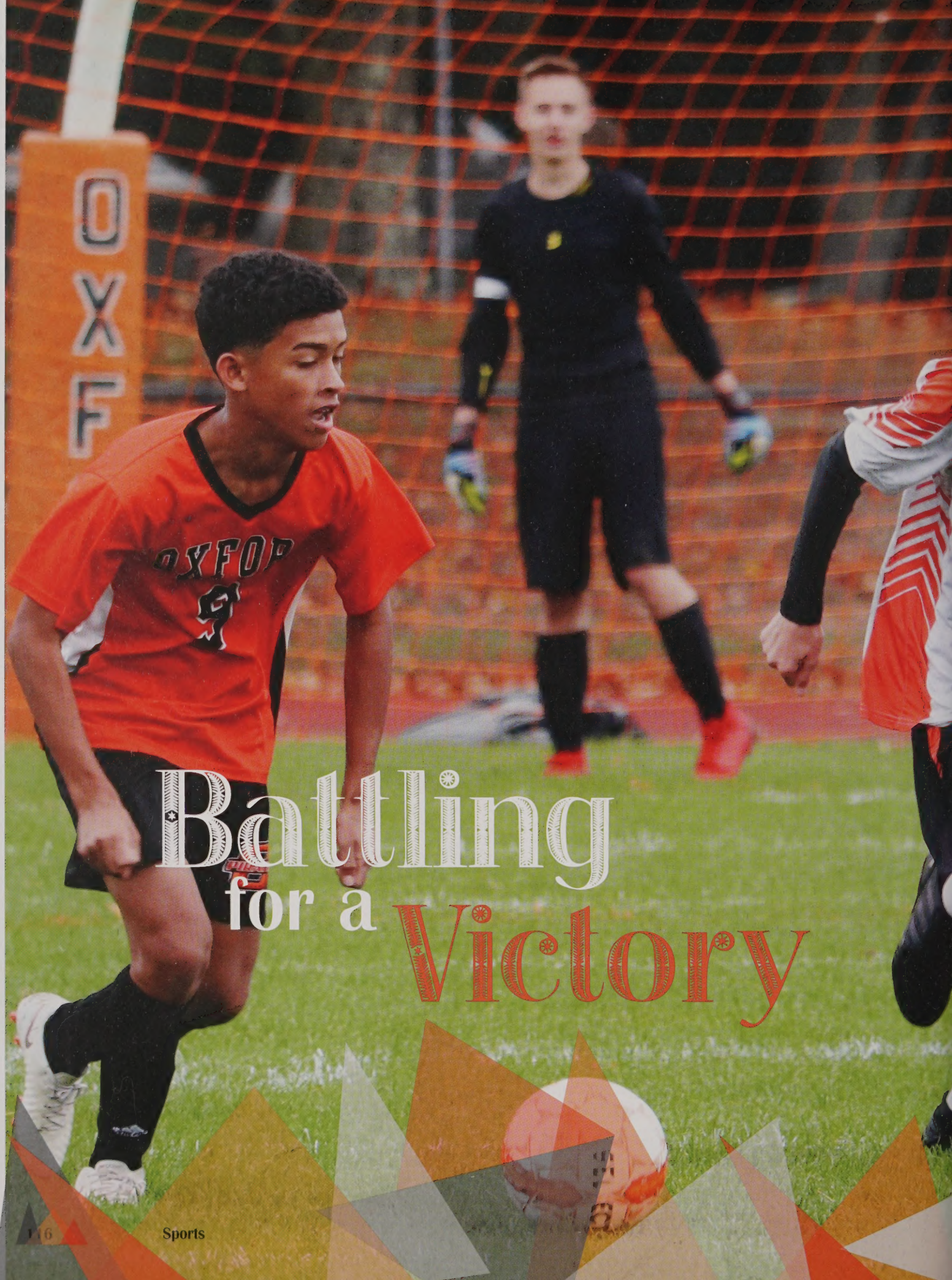

Battling for a Victory

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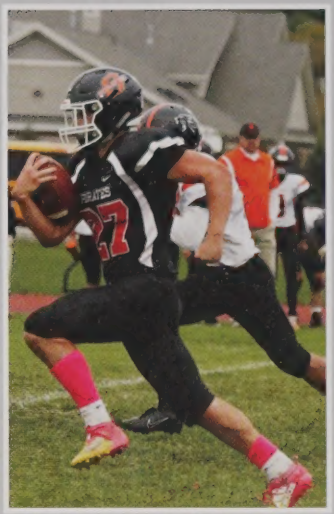
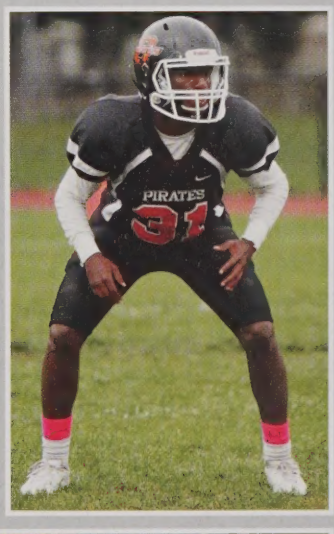
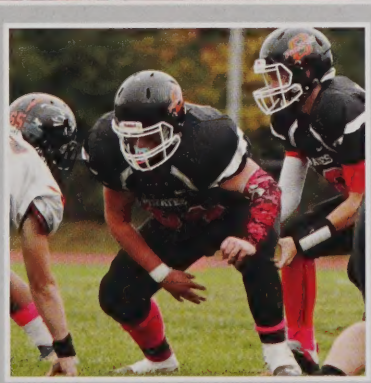
All Business

2019 Varsity Football Team

Captains: Seniors Nick Sellig, Michael DeLaCruz, Nick Geragonis, Alex Green







Captain: Senior Liam Jessie

Tee It Up

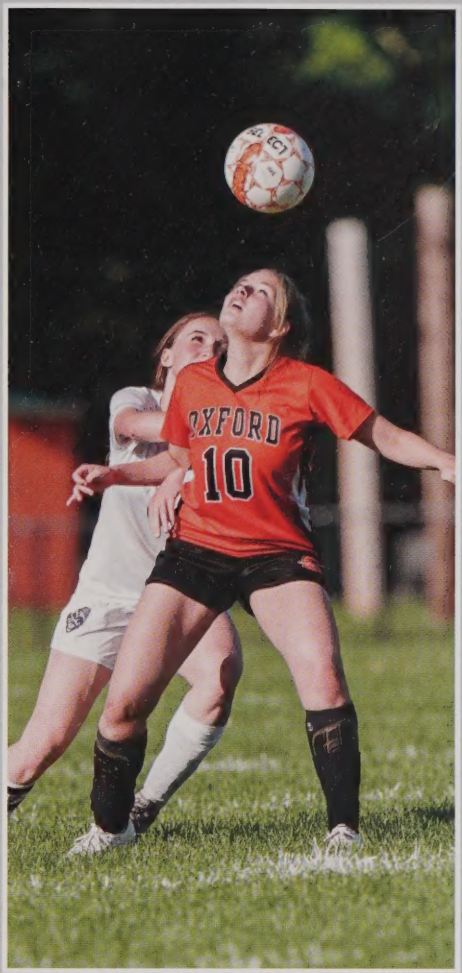
Top: Zak Parmenter, Matt Szela, Liam Jessie, Trinity Fuller, Sam Kann, Coach Jim Marzec

Bottom: Colin Plante, Matt Beals, Cameron Small, Brady Margoupis

Gotta Kick It Up

Top: Madisyn Morris, Sophia Balestracci, Ellie Makowiecki, Catherine Sauter, Reese Reynolds, Brooklyn Joubert, Abby Alicandro, Destiny Lentine, Allison Carney, Jenna Katsoulis, Coach Harvey
Bottom: Bernadette Lesieur, Sara Evans, Skyla Hodsdon-Beaurman, Jaedyn Starr, Hailey Swenson, Ashley Harris, Lily Peckham, Alana Purretta

Captains: Senior Hailey Swenson, Junior Sara Evans, Senior Skyla Hodsdon-Beurman



Captains: Senior Paolo Tokam , Senior Calib Goyette, Junior Tyler Constantine

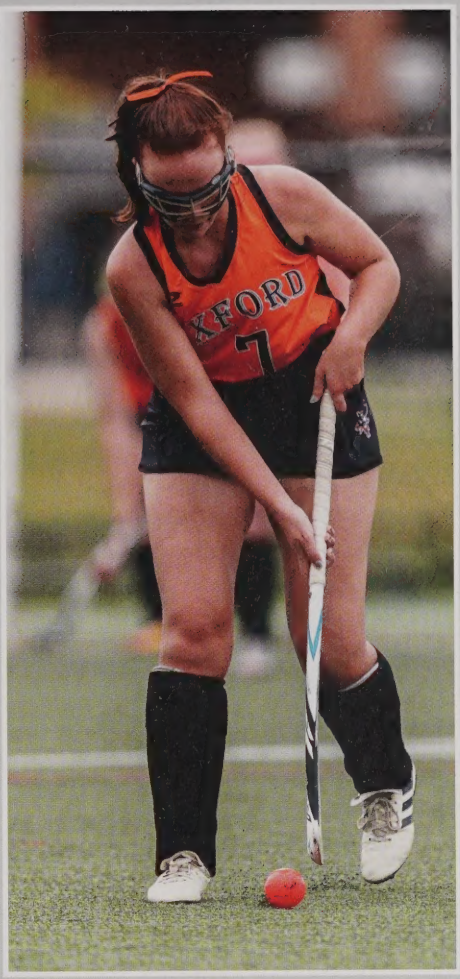
Here's The Kicker

Top: Gio Casiano, Aidan Fahey, Roland Butzke, Tyler Constantine, Vinny LaRonde-Navin, Calib Goyette, Justin Freeland, Justice DeLaCruz, Paolo Tokam, Coach Paul Frykberg
Bottom: Jaiden Baillergeon, Errick Rebello, Myles Craft, Aidan Diamond, Ben Forbes, Sam Zostant, Noah Amero, Andrew Kimball, Ken Mead

Hold the Rope

Top: Cassie Dorr, Julia Obrycki, Courtney Briggs, Aaron Smart, Megan Raymond, Amber Lyons, Emma Robertson, Coach Lauren Pietro
Middle: Nickole Biedrzycki, Molly Cook, Bella Rosario, Peyton Coonan, Suzie Lambert, Sam Meech, Harper Hutchings
Bottom: Katie Marshall, Kelly Janerico, Iska Biedryzcki

Captains: Junior Nickole Biedrzycki and Senior Suzannah Lambert



Captain: Senior Mike Gevry

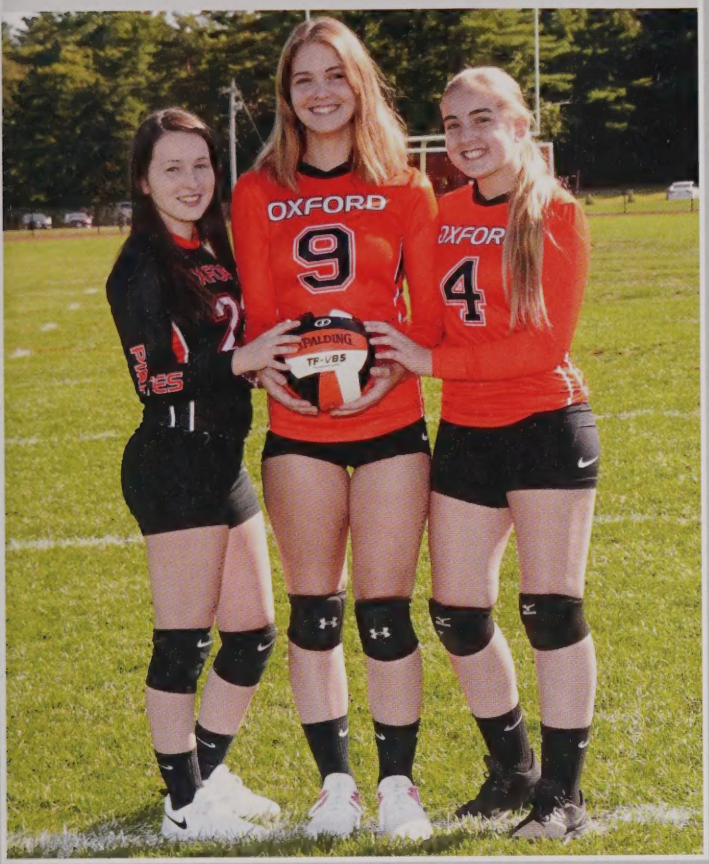
Great Day for a Run

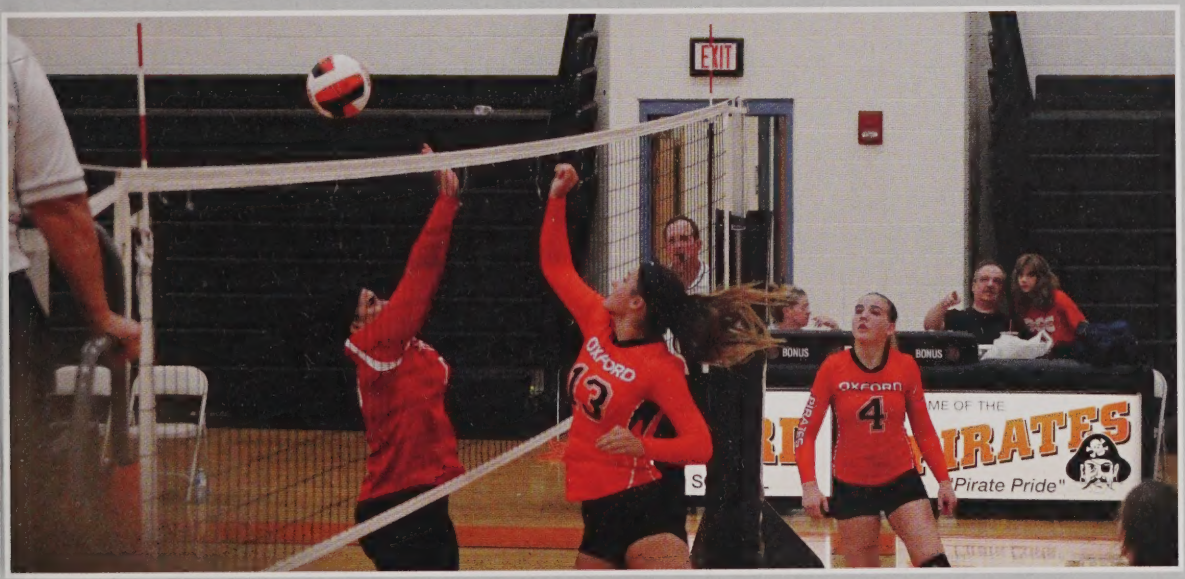
Coach Tim Craig, Lilly Alves, Cole Vignali, Abigail McDaniel, Hailey Schuller, Ernie Mundell, Natalie Hayes, Matt Arndt

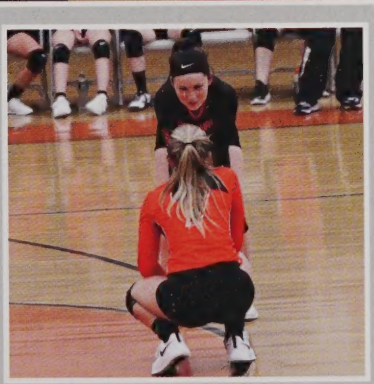
Serve's Up

Top: Coach Emily Boutilette, Ciara Gendron, Emma Snow, Chloe Davis, Isabella Buxton, Alena Sierra, Emma Goyette, Kiarra Kinosian
Bottom: Christiana Shaughnessy, Haley Meyer, Isabella Auclair, Crystal Nelson, Sophia Zografos

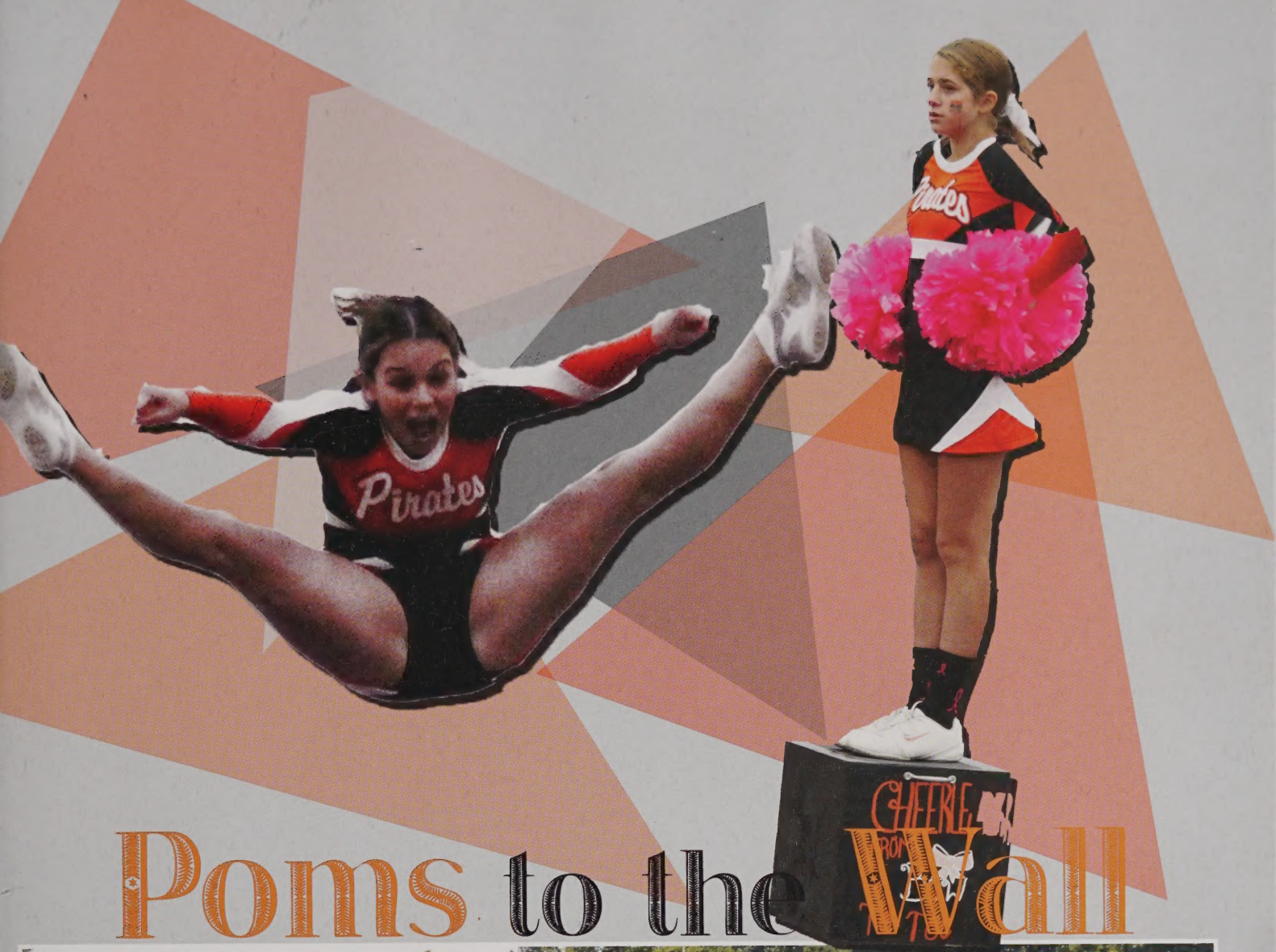
Captains: Junior Isabella Buxton, Senior Isabella Auclair, Senior Crystal Nelson





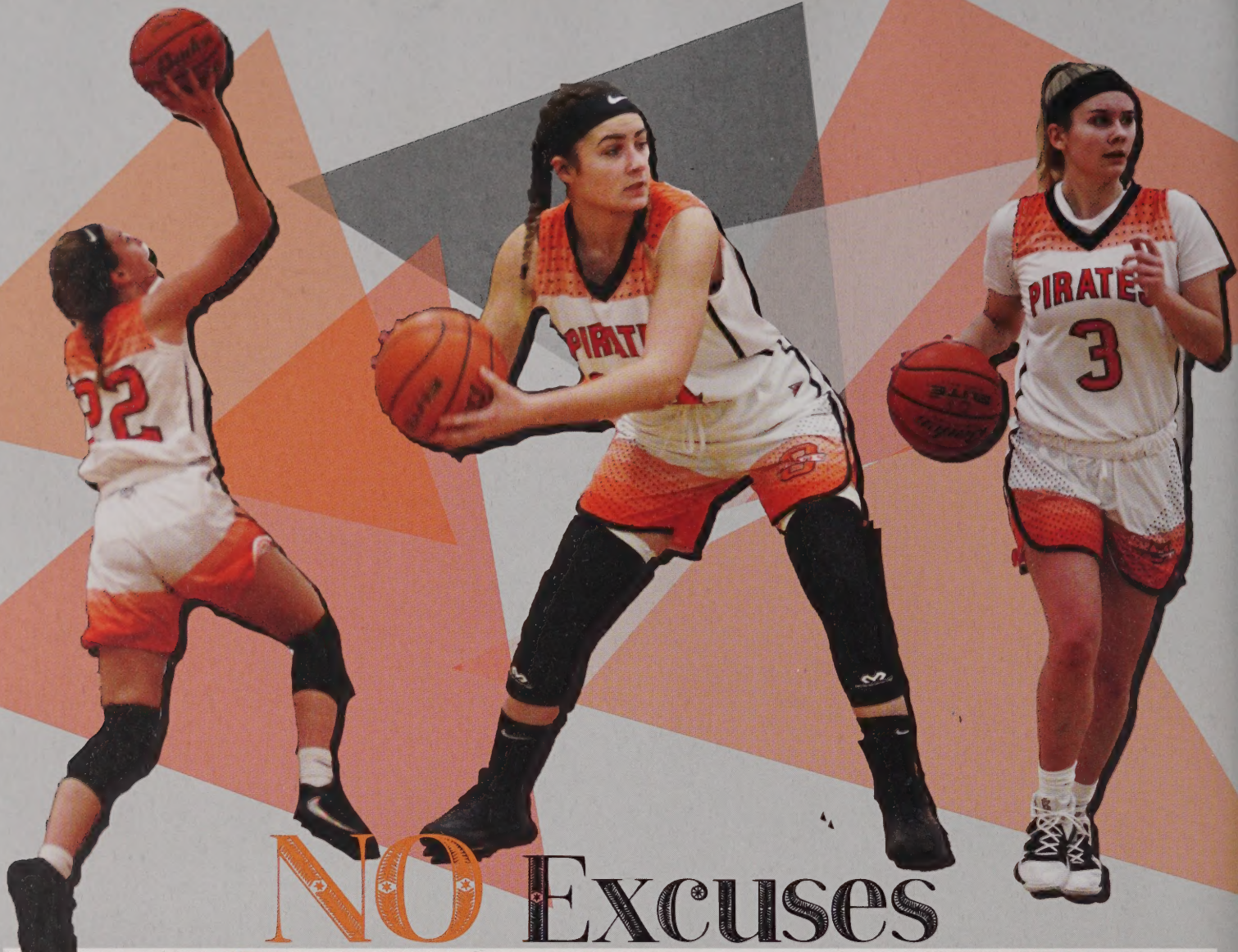


Captains: Senior Kelsey Bates and Sophomore Samantha Shea



Poms to the Wall

Top: Coach Alexis Menard, Melanie Noonan, Lily Nolin, Abby Lewis, Genesis Rivera, Alex Figueroa, Coach Jaqui Small
Middle: Payton, Banfill, Jackie Geragonis, Kelsey Bates, Julia Trainor, Sammy Shea
Bottom: Sydney Torres and Leigha Staniunas



NO Excuses

Top: Coach Joe Pietrzak, Chloe Davis, Alexis Steiger, Harper Hutchings, Hannah Volpe, Sammy Volpe, Coach Lauren Pietro

Bottom: Ciara Gendron, Olivia Clarkson, Bella Rosario, Carly Cornacchioli, Micaela Perry

Captains: Sophomore Olivia Clarkson, Senior Micaela Perry, Senior Hannah Volpe

Boy's Team Captains:

Senior Michael Gevry, Junior Joey Szela, Senior Michael DeLaCruz, Senior Nick Geragonis

Girl's Team Captains:

Seniors Samantha Meech and Peyton Coonan

Staying on Track

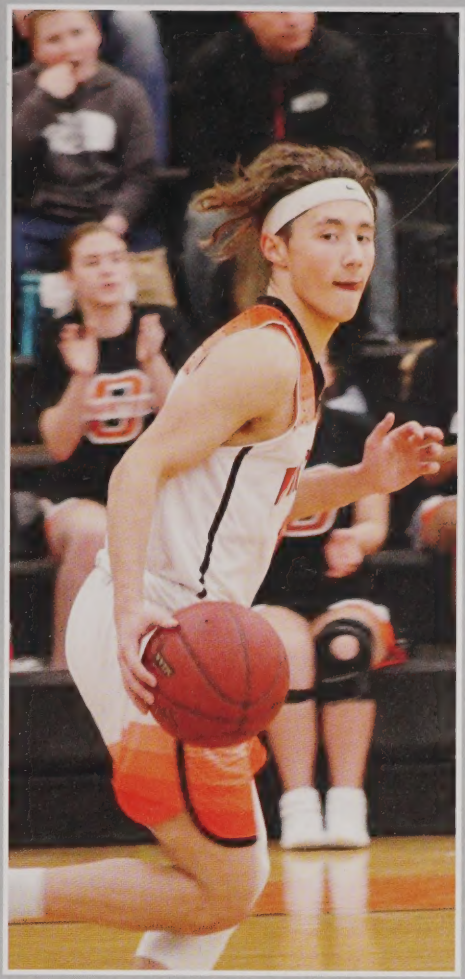
Girl's Indoor Track Team:
Jewelisa Richardson, Samantha Meech, Peyton Coonan, Megan Raymond, Maddie Tomlin, Coach Russo, Genevieve Bartlett, Isabella Biedrzycki, Abby McDaniel, Julie Viola

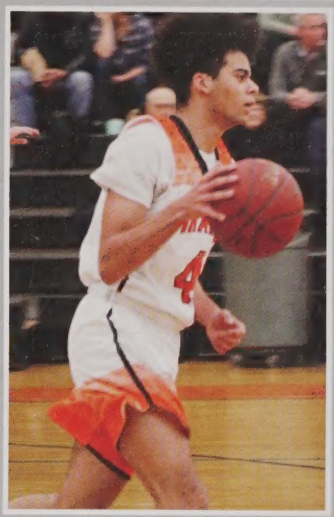
Boy's Indoor Track Team:
Junior Wariebi, Chris Best, Joey Szela, Michael DeLaCruz, Nick Geragonis, Travis Benoit, Coach Royster, Cole Vignali, Darius Richardson, Matt Szela, Michael Gevry, Zak Parmenter, Ben Wing, Sam Boucher, Andre Wright, Tyler Constantine, Ernie Mundell, Giovanni Casiano, Quinn Clarkson

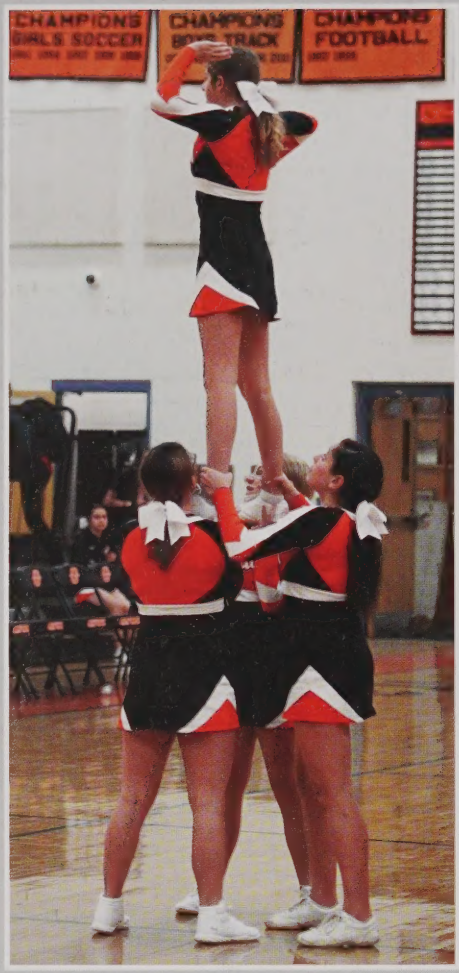
Top: Coach Button, Coach Duval, Elijah Williams, Tyler Jacques, Justin Freeland, Brian Sullivan, Jacob Sullivan, Coach Aldridge, Mr May

Bottom: Nick Sellig, Alex Duval, Evan Remington, Evan Brindisi, William Owusu, Lucas Lambert, Sam Wing

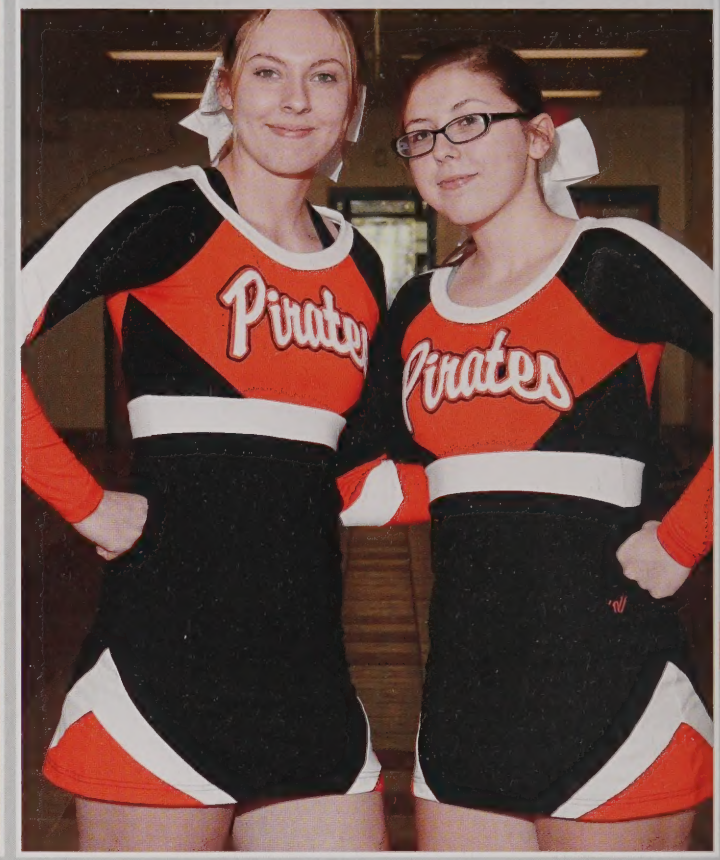
Captains: Junior Tyler Jacques, Senior Alex Duval, Senior Elijah Williams







Captains: Sophomores Julia Trainor & Sammy Shea



Go! Fight! Win!

Top: Coach Jaqui Small, Lily Nolin, Abby Lewis, Julia Trainor, Genesis Rivera, Coach Alexis Menard
Middle: Sammy Shea, Kylie Maryyanek, Alex Figueroa, Marissa Moore, Melanie Noonan, Leigha Staniunas
Bottom: Kelsey Bates and Alexis Kleiza

UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Due to the Coronavirus pandemic, our spring sport seasons were sadly cut short.

We would like to recognize some of our athletes with our:

Senior Hall of Fame

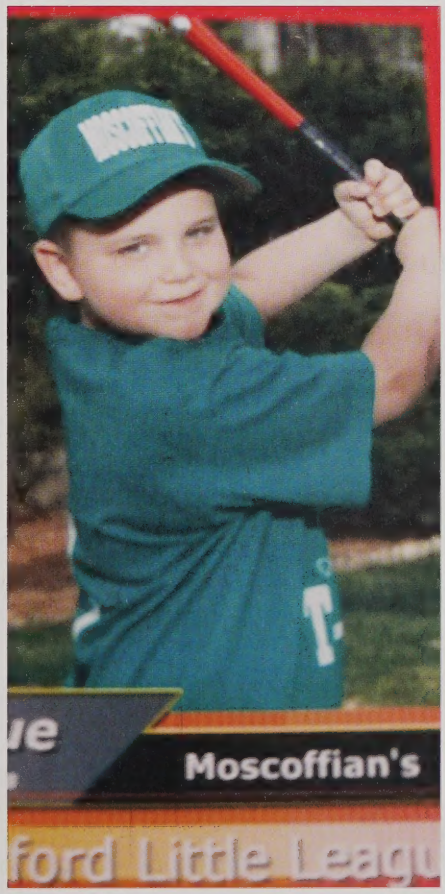
UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Anthony Purretta

Anthony's been a wonderful asset to the baseball program. From a sophomore on the State Finalist team to a senior leader on the team this year, it's been a pleasure to watch Anthony grow and mature into the excellent baseball player he is today. His ability to play multiple infield positions, to pitch, and his ability to hit will make him an added asset to his future college team. It's been a pleasure to coach Anthony.

Special Messages from Coach Richards...

Teegue is a great kid with a great personality. Always works hard. Last year Teegue delivered a walk-off single to beat Northbridge in the pouring rain; and then 2 weeks later through 4 innings of shut out relief at Clark University again in the rain to defeat Northbridge once again. Should he want to, Teegue will most definitely be able to continue his baseball career next year.



Teegue Olson

Sam Meech

I have been playing varsity softball with both Sam and Crystal since I was in 8th grade. During these years, neither have failed to be outstanding mentors to their teammates no matter how old. I will always admire their determination to play hard and win, as well as enjoy the team. They are what make our team a family. I wish them the best with their softball/college careers, and they will always be Lady Pirates at heart.

- Isabella Buxton

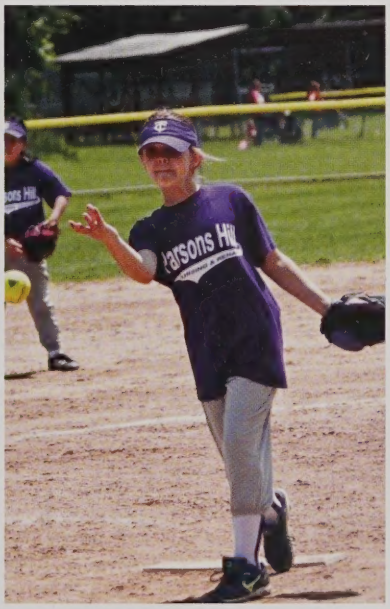
Crystal Nelson

SENIORS

Skyla Hodsdon-Beurman

As for the other seniors (Abby, Bella, and Skyla), it has been a pleasure to have them on our team. Although they may not be captains, they have always led by the example and been outstanding role models to their teammates. We wish them the best of luck going forward.
-Isabella Buxton

Abby Ortiz



Bella Auclair

SENIORS

Nick Geragonis

Mike Gevry

Jacob Sund-Lussier

The Boy's Track and Field Team was led by Senior Captain Michael Gevry. He is an extremely loyal and hardworking young man. He was one of the top point scorers for the Pirates during the 2018-2019 season.

Nick G. was a two year starter who placed Fifth in the District and SWCL events and also helped the Pirates earn many points during the regular season.

Jacob S.L. had his best performance at the SWCL meet placing third with a personal record. These Seniors exhibit the best of Pirate Pride!!

-Coach Pietro

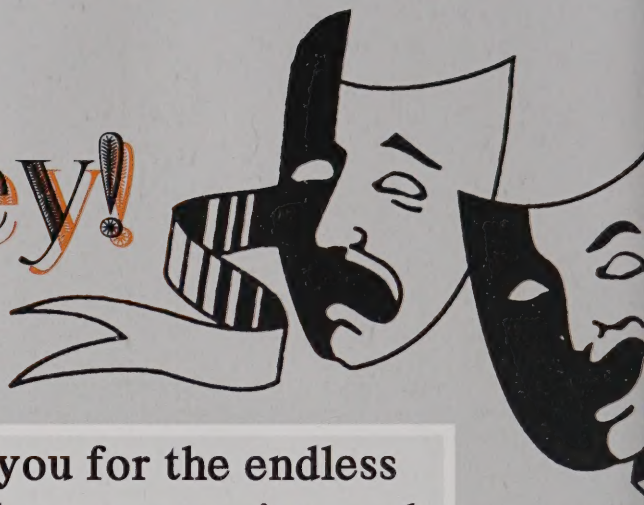
Peyton Coonan

Peyton-
I can't believe it's already your senior year! Your dedication to this team and all others is immense. You've been one of the biggest role models and leaders for me, and everyone else on the team. The hard work you put into track and field pays off at every meet, and I can't wait to see what you do in the future!! Next year won't be the same without you!
Love, Meg

Katie-
Congrats on your senior year!! Your attitude and perseverance bring such a positive aspect to our team. The hard work you put into track and field inspires me and the team to give our best effort every practice and meet! Next year's going to be so different without you!!
Love, Megan

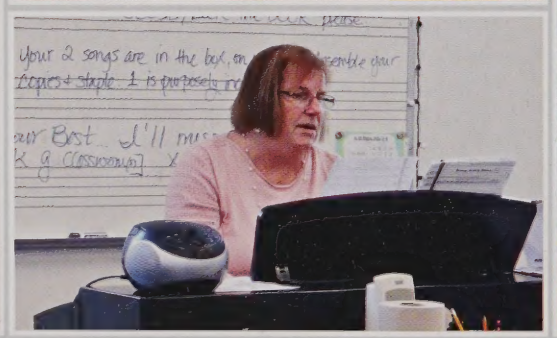
Katie Belanger

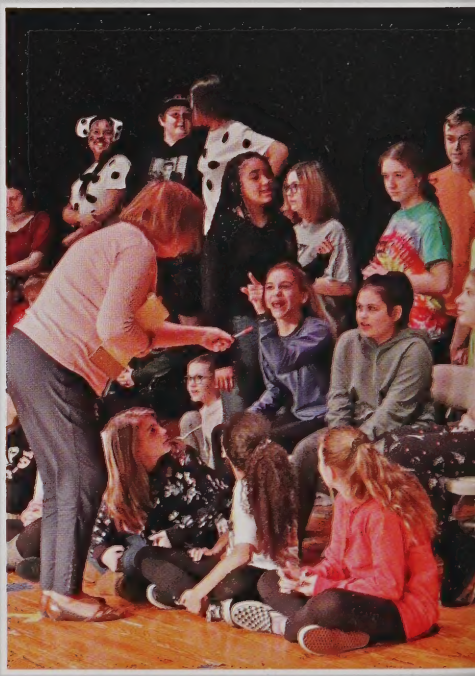
Thank you, Mrs. Looney!



Thank you for the endless laughs, love, memories, and for providing a safe place for students to show their talents and be themselves. Oxford's Theatre Department will never be the same. Thank you for the music.

-Danielle Johnson





Mrs. Looney,

How have all these years come and gone already?! It has been my honor and privilege to have had 15 of them alongside you as a multi faceted educator- A beloved Math & Algebra teacher, Theatre teacher/director, accompanist for multiple choruses, class advisor, mentor and friend to so many. We started the musical theatre program at OMS with our 1st production: Fiddler On the Roof Jr.in 2005, following your vision, and we have not looked back...this year we are on our 16th production of your favorite musical with Mamma Mia! in this unprecedented year of 2020.

Though we are at a tumultuous time in history, you remain a positive and bright memory for me, and all the Oxford students whose hearts you've touched! You are the example of what being a citizen and a teacher really means. We are grateful for our time spent with you, and will miss you so much!

With love,

Mrs. R & Oxford students of the Performing Arts

We Will Miss You!

CAUTION CAUTION

WHAT DID YOU DO DURING

Quality Pet Time!

Mrs. Stockhaus getting some fresh air with her doggo

Ms. Lal's dog, Lily

Cynthia Shaw spending time with her favorite barnyard friends

Ashley Harris taking her dog for a walk

Sibling bonding!

Sam and Myles enjoying some video game time

Evan finding time to dance!

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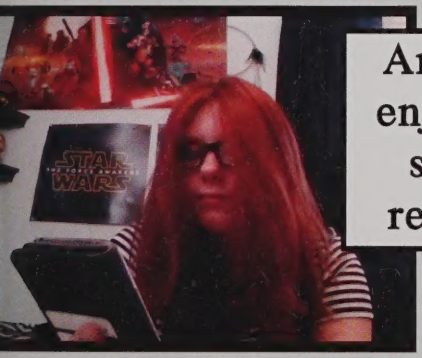
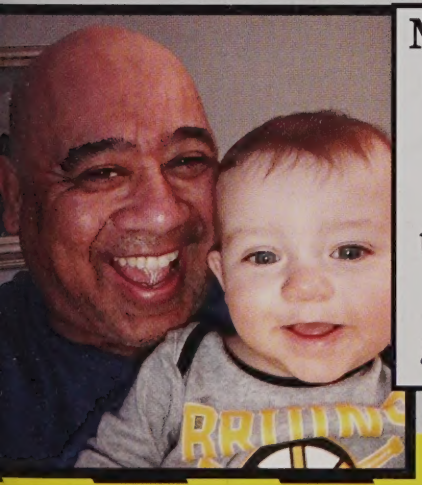
QUARANTINE?

Wise message from Sydney

Mrs. Spitz crushing her puzzle



Arianna enjoying some reading



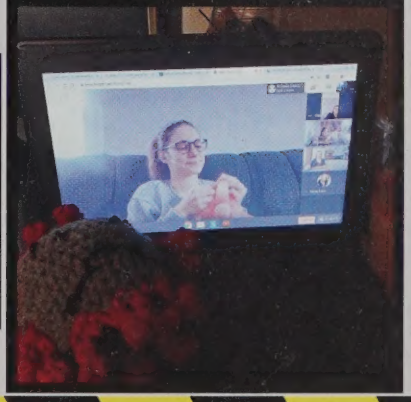
Mr. Truax spending some quality time with his grandson

Peyton catching up with Molly and Ms. Castonguay

Virtual Scattegories with Ms. Castonguay!

Mr. Craig looks so happy to see his students!

Craft and Chat hour with Russo, Castonguay & Looby



When you can only "hangout" on Google Hangouts

CAUTION CAUTIO

During Quarantine, How Has Your Time Away From School Changed Your Perspective About School?

I've always been the kid who wanted to just get though high school and be done with it...I still am. School has just never been for me, but I've realized how boring it really is without school. No one to talk to, no where to go everyday, just long boring days.
-Nick Sellig

It made me realize how much I need structure. Not having a schedule for my classes messes up my sleep, and I end up doing homework at random times.
-Taylor Carter

It definitely has made me miss everyone and all my friends. I say that you should make the most of your time in high school because it goes by faster than you think and situations like this can happen.
-Sydney Vetal

It makes me miss school a lot actually and realize how much we take for granted because now I just want to come to school and see my friends as well as just continue to play sports.
-Hannah Volpe

I used to think I hate going to school every single day but now that I can't, I realized how much I actually enjoy being in school and seeing all of my friends and going classes. You especially miss the little things, like taking a walk to the library every morning or sitting with your friends at lunch.
-Chloe Hatstat

I realized that some of the best parts about school is that socializing and being in an environment where you have motivation to get work done. Working at home is boring and lonely.
-Trevor Millette

It has really changed my entire perspective on school and everything about it. I've always liked school, but like most students, I've always hated doing so much work, dealing with drama, and just the stress was a lot. Now that this epidemic had prevented me from going back for a while, I've missed it dearly. From seeing my friends again, funny moments in class, and learning the things I love to learn about. It really makes you think about the life we have and how easily it can change for better or worse.
-Colin Murphy

It had definitely changed by view on the influence school has on the whole student and not just on the mind. School provides a safe space for many students, social support, and role models in teachers and adults who take an active part in your life. I never realized how much more there was to school besides books and homework.
-Olivia Cyr

Appreciate the good times with people.
-Justin Freeland

I've come to appreciate my teachers even more than I did before. Teaching yourself is hard!
-Ashley Harris

Miss being in a classroom and seeing my friends pretty much everyday. Miss seeing my favorite teachers and hanging out with them. Definitely took being in school everyday for granted, especially senior year.
-Kelsey Bates

I always very much liked school but it opened my eyes to realize that I actually thrive on social interaction with my friends. I knew this to an extent, but not to the extent that I realize now.
-Hal Carlson

I now realize that school gives a much needed structure and schedule to day to day life. It also gives much needed social interaction and entertainment.
-Hailey Rodgers

This time away has made me feel that none of us should take your time in high school for granted. Go ahead, hang out with friends, build memories, because you'll never be able to get that time back.
-Cynthia Shaw

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"My wish for you is that this life becomes all that you want it to, may your dreams stay big and your worries stay small..."

Monks,

We don't know how the years have gone so fast, we blinked and you went from our crazy little monkey to the beautiful young woman you are today. We have enjoyed watching you grow and as you move on to the next chapter of your story we are excited to see where life takes you. We are so proud of you!

Congratulations Class of 2020!

We love you!
Love, Mommy, Daddy,
Leigha, Brady & Lucas XO

Kaili Renee Elwood

KB,

It has been our greatest privilege to watch you grow from a precocious little girl into the beautiful, thoughtful, caring and intelligent young woman you are becoming. Although it feels sad to "let you go", we are so excited to see what the future holds for you. Always live your greatest life. Reach for the stars, never settle and taste everything this world has to offer. We will always be here for you. You are AMAZING and we love you "to the moon and back"

Love,
Mom and Dad

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Kelsey,

We are so proud of you and we cannot wait to see what the future holds for you!

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Congrats Class of 2020!!

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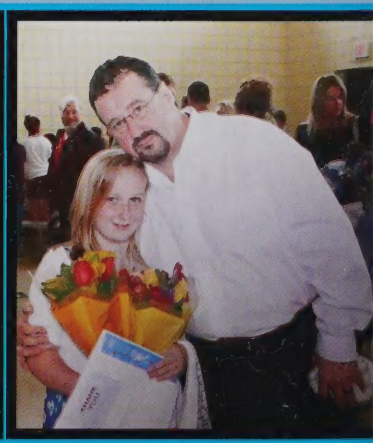
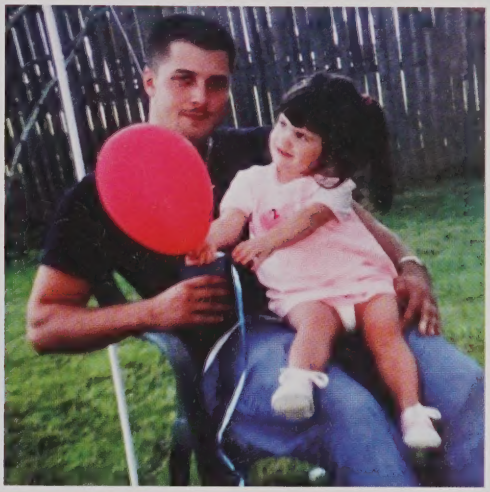
Congratulations Molly!

From Cat in the Hat
To Reading and Math
To you up to Bat
We are so very proud of all that.

Love, Mom, Dad and Kim





Micaela,

I'm so proud of you sweetheart and know your ready for greatness! Follow your heart and never allow fear to make your decisions.

Love you always,

Dad

Micaela,

Congratulations! We are so proud of you! It has been a joy watching you grow up into such a strong, beautiful, smart, independent young woman. You will do amazing things! Never give up on your dreams and enjoy your journey!! Love you always!!

Love,
Mom, Pete, Alex, Nick, and Nana

JACOB

Always remember you are braver than you believe stronger than you seem smarter than you think and loved more than you know.

Love Mom, Mama and Q

Friend,

Growing up with you was certainly no day out to lunch, and it was definite not as sweet as frosting or a milkshake. Yet, watching you thrive to be as successful as you are has been. I could never survive without you, let alone with just a rubber band and a bag of chips. I'll always be so proud of you!

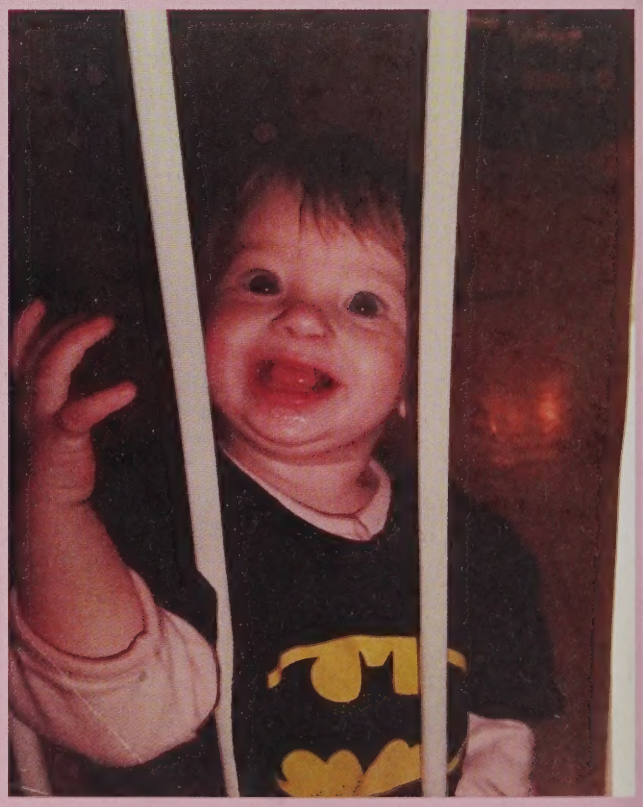
You truly are my best friend. Love, Taylor

Congratulations Sarah!

(aka Sissy)

We have loved you from the first moment we saw you!
You are our superhero,
the co-pilot of our rocketship, and our
fashion advisor on the runway.

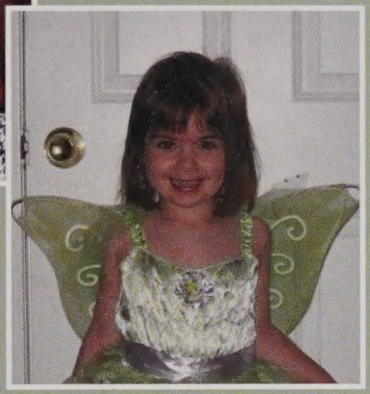
We will always put our dimes on your juice-box, Baby!



CONGRATULATIONS ROSIE !

It has been a joy to watch you achieve so many of your goals. All your hard work paid off. We are so proud of all of your accomplishments and can't wait to watch all you still have to do. You make the world shine a little brighter. Love you more!

Love,
Mom, Brooke & Levi



Congratulations Peyton!

Peyton,
I am so proud of all that you have accomplished in your four years of high school. Good luck on all of your adventures yet to come!

Love, Gram

And so the adventure begins

Isabella,
There aren't enough words to describe how proud of you we are. Can't wait to watch you make all your dreams come true.
Love
Mom, Jon & Maddox

C is for your **Charming** ways, you care with all your heart,

R is for your **Radiance**, you have been amazing right from the start.

Y is for **You**, our universal star, who always shines so bright,

S is for the way you **Sparkle** throughout the day and night.

T is for your **Tenacity**, your determination and commitment,

A is for your all your athletic and academic **Achievements.**

L is for your **Laughter**, your smile always lights the way,

To our beautiful **Crystal Ray Nelson** ~ we are so proud of you and love you more and more each day!

Love ~ Daddy, Mommy, Stephanie & Candice

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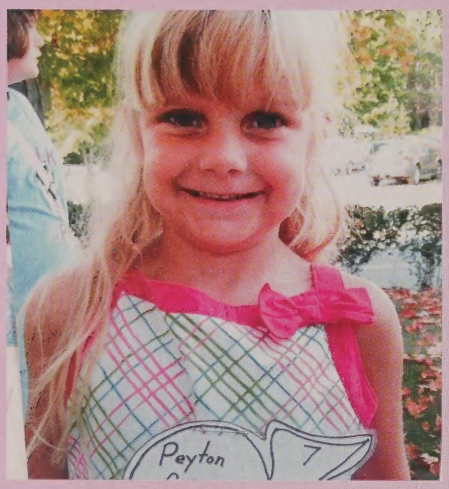
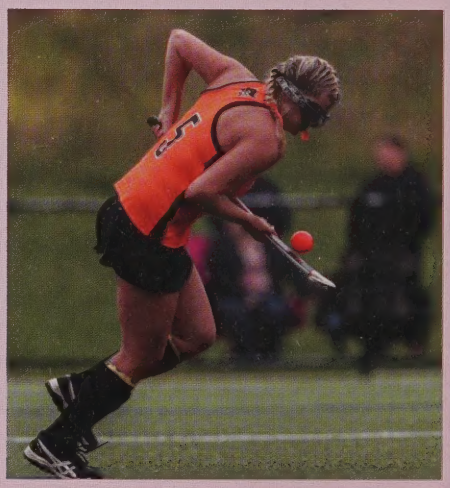
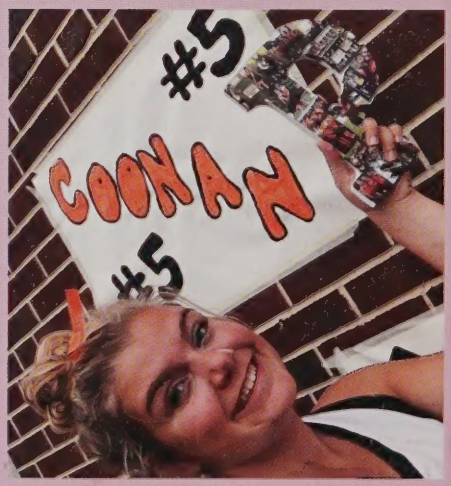
Peyton Erin Coonan

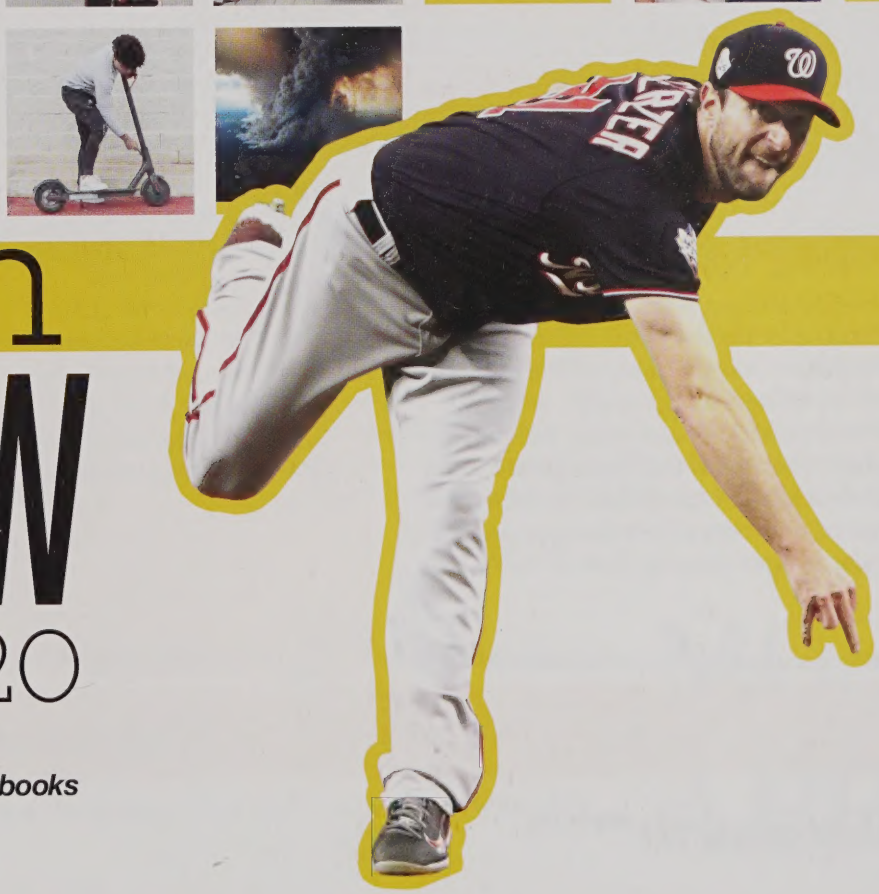


Whatever you do, and wherever you go, be bold, be courageous, be your best. You have always made us so very proud and we are excited for you as you begin the next chapter of your life. You will always be Princess Peyton to us. And remember Princess, keep your chip up, otherwise the crown slips.

We love and support you,
Mom, Dad & Taylor







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A Continent Fired Up

Smoke billows rise as fires ravage Australia. Wildfires burned over 28 million acres, killing dozens of people and destroying thousands of homes. Over a billion animals, including one-third of the koalas in New South Wales, died in the devastation and the smoke was visible from satellites in space.

Photo credit Australia: Dale Appleton/DELWP via AP

Michael Bennet	Beto O'Rourke
Joe Biden	Deval Patrick
Michael Bloomberg	Bernie Sanders
Cory Booker	Tom Steyer
Pete Buttigieg	Donald Trump
Julián Castro	Joe Walsh
John Delaney	Elizabeth Warren
Tulsi Gabbard	Bill Weld
Kamala Harris	Marianne Williamson
Amy Klobuchar	Andrew Yang

Democrats Republicans

Racing Toward 2020

Presidential candidates campaign full force ahead of state primaries and caucuses. President Donald Trump officially kicked off his re-election campaign, while the Democratic Party saw more than two dozen run. It was the largest and most diverse pool of candidates to date, with record numbers of females and people of color at ages ranging from 37 to 78.

Major party candidates as of November 2019

Family First

Prince Harry and Meghan Markle, the Duke and Duchess of Sussex, announce they will step back as senior members of the royal family. The couple spoke publicly of the stress of negative media attention and lack of family privacy following the birth of their son, Archie, even suing a British tabloid. They planned to split their time between the U.K. and North America and move forward financially independent from the Crown in order to begin new charitable endeavors.

*source: Sensor Tower
Top game and music apps: Sept. 2019 worldwide
Top social media app: Aug. 2019
Top app: July 2019 U.S.
Top shopping app: Sept. 2019 U.S.
Photo credits: Newscom

I'm a VSCO girl in a VSCO world

VSCO girl fashion necessitates staples like scrunchies, hydro flasks, Vans shoes, friendship bracelets, coiled hair ties, oversized T-shirts, cowrie shell necklaces, Fjällräven Kånken backpacks, chokers and lip balm. Named for the popular photo app, VSCO girls became a defining teen trend. The name also served as an identity of sorts for those who embraced it.

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Orange Pride

The University of Tennessee mascot wears the shirt that became a national sensation after a story of a young boy bullied for wearing a hand-drawn UT paper on an orange shirt for his school's college day went viral. UT made his design into an official shirt that sold out within minutes, with profits going to an anti-bullying organization. The university offered him a four-year scholarship.

Hong Kong protests

Over 800,000 Hong Kong residents marched in the streets in December during the Civil Human Rights Front Human Rights Day March. The pro-democracy march was the largest to date in the ongoing feud between Hong Kong and mainland China. Protesters called it a last chance for China to meet their demands for human rights.

Modern History

Plans for restoration begin immediately following the fiery blaze that consumed Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris while the world watched in horror. While disagreements ensued over the best plans to restore the 900-year-old cathedral, large and small donors pledged $960 million toward it. The government stated repairs would be completed in five years.

MOST downloaded APPS

Top game app: Mario Kart Tour

Top shopping app: Wish

Top app: FaceApp

Top social media app: TikTok

Top music app: Spotify

Other popular apps: Instagram, YouTube, Snapchat, Likee, Yolo, Sand Balls, Poshmark*

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News & Trends

Desperate Admissions

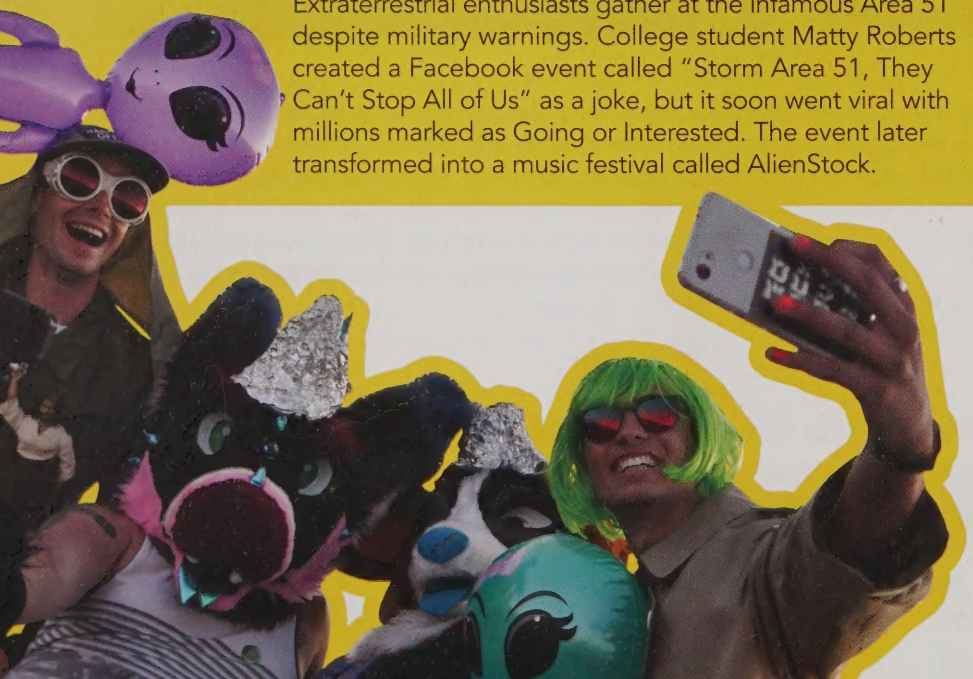
Actress Felicity Huffman and her husband William H. Macy walk out of her sentencing hearing. Huffman and fellow actress Lori Laughlin were among the parents and coaches indicted in a college bribery scandal that alleged parents paid a consultant to alter test scores or attempted to pass their children off falsely as athletic recruits to gain admissions. Huffman was sentenced to 14 days in prison.

Cruising to the Rescue

Royal Caribbean's cruise ship Mariner of the Seas hosts victims of Hurricane Dorian in the Bahamas. Refugees received shelter, food and transportation after the city of Freeport was devastated by the hurricane in September. Royal Caribbean and many other companies donated to disaster relief organizations to rebuild the area.

Desert Storm

Extraterrestrial enthusiasts gather at the infamous Area 51 despite military warnings. College student Matty Roberts created a Facebook event called "Storm Area 51, They Can't Stop All of Us" as a joke, but it soon went viral with millions marked as Going or Interested. The event later transformed into a music festival called AlienStock.



Pawsitive News

After decades of Breed-specific Legislation (BSL), many cities begin lifting bans on pit bull breeds, meaning more get adopted from shelters into fur-ever homes. Hundreds of cities adopted BSL beginning in the 1980s when pit bulls were portrayed as dangerous and aggressive, sometimes banning dogs that even had a resemblance to the breed. As residents, animal advocacy groups and dog owners spoke up, the tide of public opinion began to shift.

Photo credit: Aimee Parsons Photography

A Life Remembered

U.S. Representative Elijah Cummings of Baltimore becomes the first African American lawmaker to lie in state at the U.S. Capitol. Cummings, who served in Congress since 1996, died in October from long-standing health complications. He was the son of sharecroppers who became a civil rights leader admired by both sides of the political aisle.

Brexit Stage Left

Workers remove the United Kingdom's flag outside of the European Parliament in Brussels, Belgium, as they officially leave the European Union (EU) on Jan. 31. The country first voted for Brexit, as Britain's exit from the EU was coined, in 2016 by a narrow margin, leaving the kingdom bitterly divided. The removal was delayed numerous times when Britain and the EU failed to reach a trade agreement that received enough votes in British Parliament to pass.

It's Time

At the last second, four ladies exit their Breakout KC escape room and celebrate. Escape rooms became so popular that Merriam-Webster added it as an official dictionary entry in September. Other words added included dad joke, vacay, deep state, inspo, stinger and the non-binary pronoun they.

Photo credit: Breakout KC

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Entertainment

Year-end Jonas

The Jonas Brothers arrive back in the spotlight, reuniting after five years apart. Joe Jonas married Sophie Turner, and the Jonas Brothers' #1 hit song "Sucker" featured the Jonas ladies in the music video. Amazon Prime released the Jonas documentary *Chasing Happiness*, Nick Jonas starred in *Jumangi: The Next Level*, they won several awards for their album and were nominated for a Grammy.

Box Office Magic

Frozen II becomes the sixth Disney film of 2019 to reach $1 billion worldwide at the box office, with *Star Wars: The Rise of Skywalker* the seventh. *Avengers: Endgame*, which made over $2 billion and was the highest-grossing movie of all time, along with *Toy Story 4*, *Aladdin*, *Captain Marvel* and *Lion King*, helped Disney shatter previous records. By July, Disney had already broken its previous annual record of $7.61 billion set in 2016.

Watch Me

The March sisters charm audiences in Greta Gerwig's new film adaptation of *Little Women*. This year, Hollywood saw *The Joker* and Quentin Tarantino's *Once Upon a Time… in Hollywood* garner attention and acclaim while Marvel movies like *Spider Man: Far from Home* were big at the box office. Streaming services like Netflix flexed their powers with heavyweight stars like Robert De Niro in *The Irishman*, Scarlett Johansson and Adam Driver in *Marriage Story* and Aaron Paul in *El Camino*, a follow-up movie to the series Breaking Bad.

POPULAR social media influencers THIS YEAR

- **Sam and Colby** — Two friends from Kansas become famous on Vine before shifting their comedy videos to YouTube. Their specialty became videos in which they spent the night in abandoned locations, and their videos racked up nearly 400 million views.
- **David Dobrik** — Leader of the popular YouTube group The Vlog Squad, made up of stars who made it big on Vine, Dobrik and The Vlog Squad end the year with more than 14 million YouTube subscribers.
- **Emma Chamberlain** — A new school Generation Z star with 8.5 million subscribers on YouTube, Chamberlain gains her audience by posting candid vlogs about teen life.

The Tale Continues

The Testaments, a long-awaited sequel to *The Handmaid's Tale*, displays in a bookstore window. Goodreads voters chose *Five Feet Apart* by Rachel Lippincott as the best young adult fiction book of 2019. Other popular books were *On the Come Up* by Angie Thomas, who wrote 2017's *The Hate U Give*, and *With the Fire on High*, a novel written in prose by Elizabeth Acevedo.

Streaming Disney

"Baby Yoda" becomes an internet sensation after the release of Star Wars spin-off *The Mandalorian* on Disney's new streaming channel, Disney+. In November, Star Wars, Marvel, Pixar, Disney titles and original content became available exclusively on Disney+. Over 10 million subscribed the first day.

Breakthrough Year

Singer Billie Eilish, 18, makes history as she sweeps all four major categories at the Grammys – Best New Artist, Song of the Year and Record of the Year for "Bad Guy," and Album of the Year. Eilish was the youngest artist to win Album of the Year, the youngest to ever win all four, and is only the second artist to win all four in a single year. Her debut album *When We All Fall Asleep, Where Do We Go?* was one of the best-selling of the year and also won New Artist of the Year and Favorite Alternative Artist awards at the American Music Awards.

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Entertainment

Historic Wins

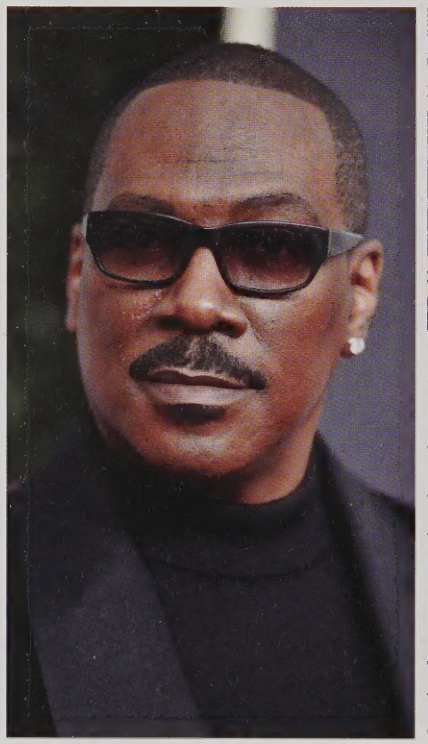
So-dam Park and Woo-sik Choi huddle together in *Parasite*. Bong Joon Ho's film won for best original screenplay, best director, international feature film and the highest honor, best picture – the first non-English film to win best picture. *Joker* composer Hildur Gudnadottir became the third woman to ever win best original score, *Jojo Rabbit's* Taika Waititi became the first indigenous director to win an Oscar and Barack and Michelle Obama's Higher Ground Productions won best documentary for *American Factory*.

Now Listen Here

People like news, at least the people who listen to podcasts seem to. News podcasts *The Daily*, by *The New York Times*, and *Up First*, by NPR, topped the podcast charts in 2019. Among younger audiences, *Life is Short with Justin Long* and true crime podcasts like *My Favorite Murder* retained their loyal audiences.

Better Than Ever

Comedian Eddie Murphy poses for media outside the 77th Golden Globes in January. Around the holidays in December, Murphy hosted *Saturday Night Live*, returning to the show where he became famous for the first time in nearly 35 years. The episode Murphy hosted was the most watched SNL in more than a decade.



Jennings the G.O.A.T.

Past *Jeopardy!* champions Ken Jennings, James Holzhauer and Brad Rutter playfully pose for pictures in January for their national TV event – the *Jeopardy!* Greatest of All Time tournament. Considered three of the best players in the game show's history, the trio competed over four nights and drew huge TV ratings. Jennings, who still holds the record with 74 straight wins on the show, won the tournament by becoming the first player to get to three wins.

More Progress

Chinese-American actress Awkwafina stops for photographers at the *Jumanji: The Next Level* premiere in December. As Asian representation in Hollywood continued to be a hot topic, Awkwafina's rise to stardom became a focus of the discussion. One year after her hit *Crazy Rich Asians*, she starred in *Jumanji: The Next Level* and the critically acclaimed *The Farewell*, which earned her a Golden Globe.

Worldwide Hit

Justin Bieber and Ed Sheeran take time for a photo before Sheeran performs a concert in London. Bieber and Sheeran recorded a song, "I Don't Care," as part of Sheeran's latest album, *No. 6 Collaborations Project*. The song reached No. 1 on the pop charts in 26 countries.

Quite a Decade

Pop star Taylor Swift performs at a concert in London in December. Earlier in the year, Swift released her seventh album, *Lover*, and it debuted at the top of the charts with nearly a million units sold the first week. The lead single off the album, "Me!" was nominated for Song of the Year at the Grammys, and Swift received Artist of the Decade at the American Music Awards.

MOST POPULAR
broadway shows of the year

What were the most popular stage shows on Broadway this year? Take a look at the top five:

- ***Hamilton***
- ***The Lion King***
- ***To Kill a Mockingbird***
- ***Wicked***
- ***Harry Potter and the Cursed Child***

Source: Broadwayworld.com

Photo credits: Newscom

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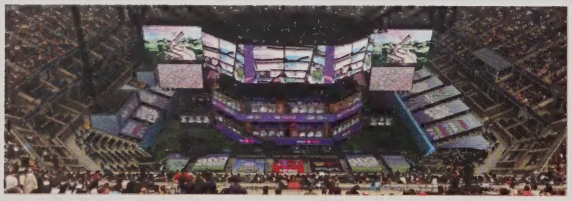
Sports

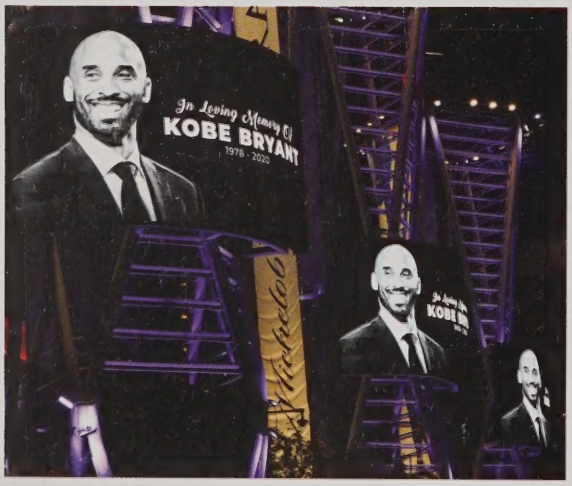
50 Years in the Making

Kansas City Chiefs quarterback Patrick Mahomes (15) throws a pass while eluding San Francisco 49ers defensive end Arik Armstead (91) during the second half of Super Bowl LIV in Miami on Feb. 2. Mahomes rallied the Chiefs to a 31-20 victory, even after they trailed by 10 points entering the fourth quarter, and was chosen the game's MVP. It was Kansas City's first Super Bowl appearance, and victory, in 50 years.

Center Stage

Thousands turn out to watch the first ever Fortnite World Cup in July at Arthur Ashe Stadium in Flushing, New York. Kyle Giersdorf, a 16-year old from the Philadelphia area also known by his gamer name "Bugha," won the Solo event in the video game contest, taking home a $3 million prize. An estimated 2.3 million viewers watched the final event online.



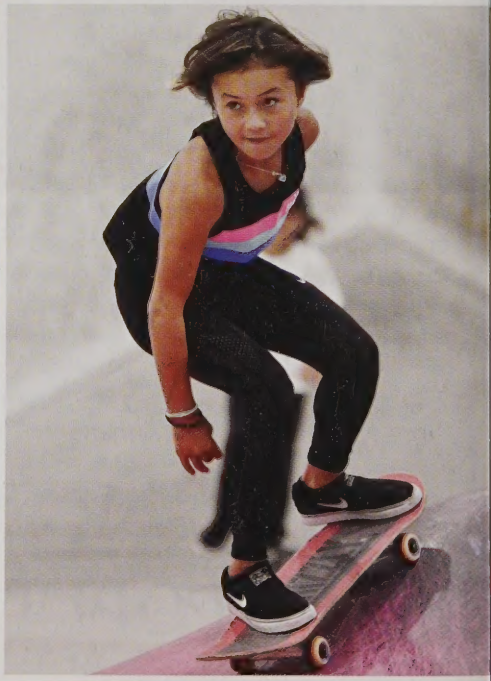


A Shocking Loss

A tribute to retired basketball star Kobe Bryant displays outside the Staples Center in Los Angeles. Bryant, a five-time champion with the L.A. Lakers and 18-time NBA All-Star, was one of nine people to die in a helicopter crash on Jan. 26 in Calabasas, California. Bryant's 13-year old daughter, Gianna, was also killed in the crash.

Sky's the Limit

Sky Brown, an 11-year old British skateboarder, trains before a competition in Japan. Brown earned a high seed at the 2020 Olympic qualifying events for skateboarding, one of five new Olympic sports. Brown planned to earn a spot on the British Olympic team in 2020, making her the youngest Olympian in at least a century.



Tigers on top

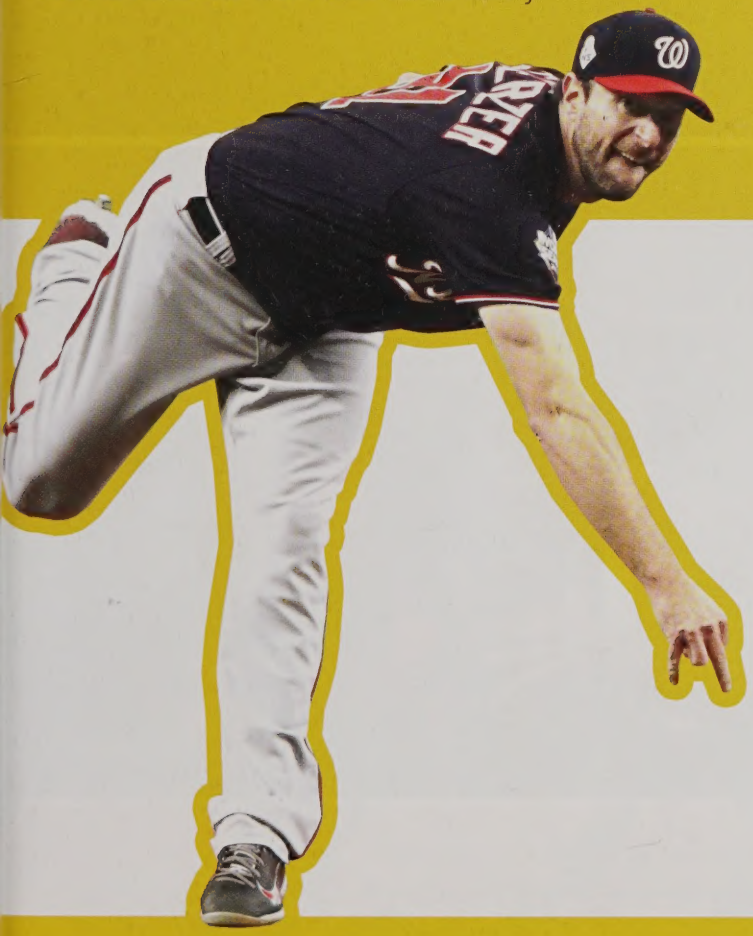
LSU quarterback Joe Burrow fires a touchdown pass against Clemson during the College Football National Championship Game on Jan. 13. LSU beat Clemson, 42-25, to win the fourth national championship in school history. Burrow, who also won the Heisman Trophy, finished off one of the greatest individual seasons in college football history with 463 yards passing and five touchdowns in the final game.

Sweet Victory

U.S. center Becky Sauerbrunn heads the ball clear against the Netherlands during the finals of the 2019 FIFA Women's World Cup in France. The Americans defeated the Netherlands, 2-0, in their second straight World Cup title. Team captain Megan Rapinoe was the leading scorer with six goals and was named Best Player.

Road Warriors

Washington Nationals pitcher Max Scherzer delivers a pitch during Game 7 of the World Series. The Nationals defeated the Houston Astros, winning the decisive game, 6-2. The series was noteworthy since the road team won all seven games for the first time, and it was the Nationals' first World Series victory.



It was a year for crazy, quirky records to fall in sports:

- In October in Vienna, Eliud Kipchoge of Kenya (above) runs a marathon in 1 hour, 59 minutes and 40 seconds. Breaking the two-hour mark for a marathon was previously thought unattainable.
- Nepali mountain climber Nirmal Purja successfully reaches the peak of the world's 14 tallest mountains within seven months. The previous record was more than seven years.
- Aries Susanti Rahayu smashes the women's speed climbing record by scaling a 50-foot wall in 7 seconds. The 24-year old Indonesian became nicknamed "Spider-woman."

WORLD record FALL

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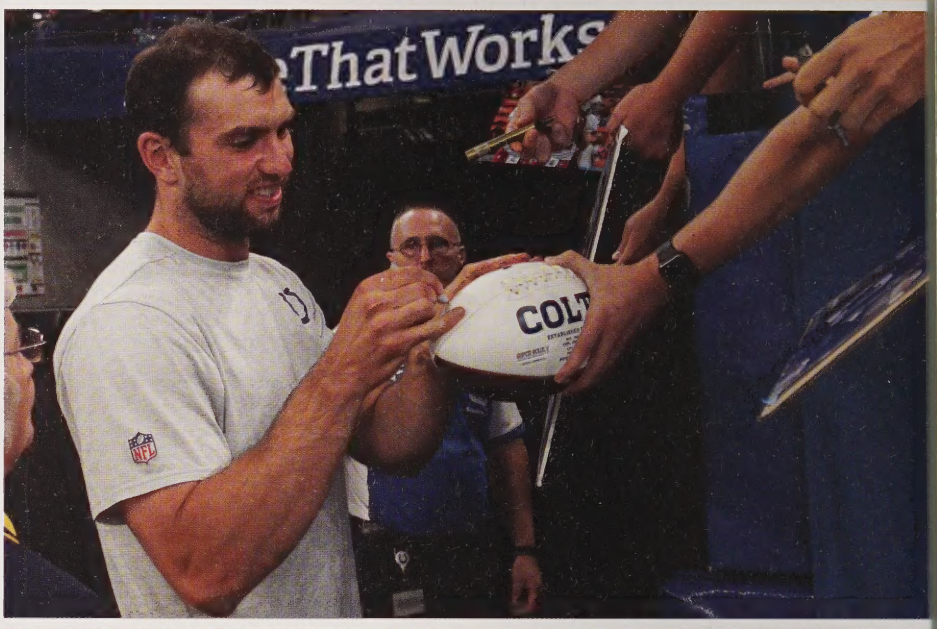
Sports

Out of Luck

Andrew Luck greets fans after announcing his surprise retirement in August. The NFL quarterback for the Indianapolis Colts was preparing for his seventh season when he made the decision to call it quits, citing the struggle from repeated severe injuries. Luck, still only 29 and a four-time Pro Bowl selection, was considered by some to be the best pro athlete to end their career during their prime.



The Road to 30

An ownership group led by British soccer star David Beckham meets with the media to announce their new Major League Soccer (MLS) team, Inter Miami CF. By the end of 2019, MLS had unveiled its plan to grow the league from 24 teams to its ultimate goal of 30. In addition to Miami, new expansion teams would be added in Nashville, Austin, Charlotte, St. Louis and Sacramento.

New Times in the NFL

Katie Sowers, a full-time assistant coach with the San Francisco 49ers, helps the team get ready before a game. The hiring of Sowers was part of a new trend by the 49ers and the NFL to get more women hired in to help lend the proper perspective to issues that impact women.

ATHLETES of the decade

As 2019 passed into 2020, the Associated Press named tennis star Serena Williams and NBA legend LeBron James as its Athletes of the Decade. Other finalists included:

Men

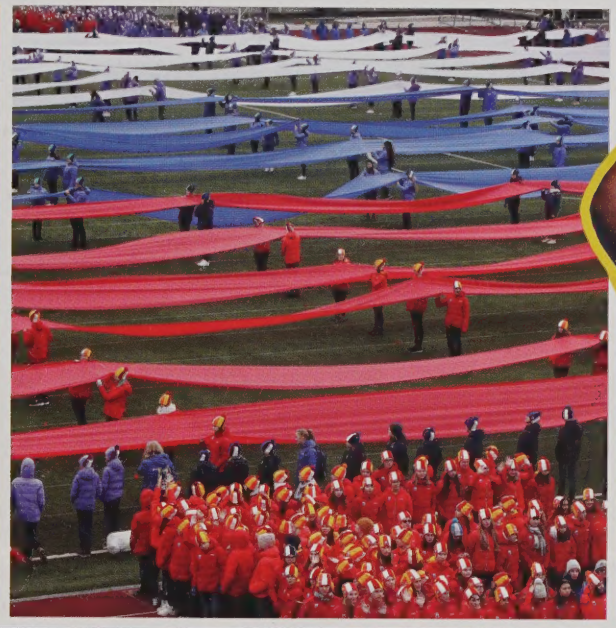
- Tom Brady
- Usain Bolt
- Lionel Messi

Women

- Simone Biles
- Katie Ledecky
- Lindsey Vonn

Paying the Price

Presentations of the Russian flag, like the one shown here at a children's camp in December in Crimea, won't be on display at the next two Olympic games after the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) banned Russian teams from competing due to repeated violations. Individual Russian athletes who pass the requisite tests will still be able to compete on their own.



King of the Court

NBA star Kawhi Leonard moves to the basket during a December game for the Los Angeles Clippers. The soft-spoken superstar took his place among the best in the game this year, leading the Toronto Raptors to their first NBA title in team history. Leonard then signed as a free agent with the Clippers and kicked off a rivalry with LeBron James and the cross-town L.A. Lakers.

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Science/Tech/Planet

A Year of Antitrust

Sundar Pichai, the CEO of Google parent company Alphabet, speaks at a press meeting in September. Attorneys General from 48 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico announced an investigation into Google over possible antitrust violations. The Federal Trade Commission also fined Facebook $5 billion for privacy violations while the social media giant faced a separate antitrust probe, and both Amazon and Apple faced probes into alleged anti-competitive practices.

I Just Took a DNA Test

Turns out, your dog IS 100% that breed ... or not. The rise of DNA tests for dogs allowed curious owners to learn the ancestry of their pups from a simple saliva swab. The cost of these dog DNA kits ranged from about $60 up to more than $300.

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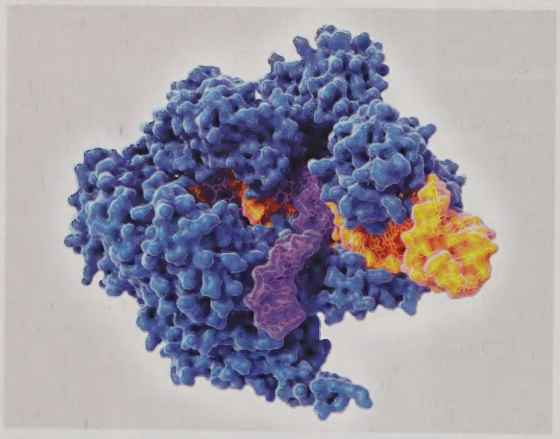


Big Breakthroughs at a Molecular Level

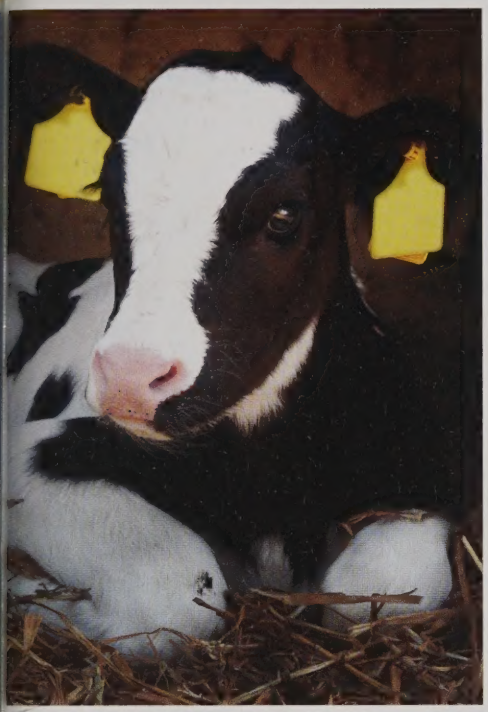
Medical uses for CRISPR race ahead. Scientists at the University of Pennsylvania began using the gene-editing tool for cancer treatments, a Nashville woman was seemingly cured of her sickle cell disease and researchers at Locus Biosciences explored its ability to fight antibiotic-resistant "superbugs."

Crawl, Walk, Run, Trailblaze

A Girl Scout in California shows off her badges while walking in a local parade. The 107-year-old organization shook things up in 2019 with the introduction of 42 new badges girls can earn. The new badges encourage girls to explore STEM fields and outdoor activities.

Got Genetic Diversity?

Most dairy cows are related. Geneticist Chad Dechow traced most Holstein descendants back to two bulls from the 1950s and 1960s, Round Oak Rag Apple Elevation and Pawnee Farm Arlinda Chief. Dechow urged farmers to avoid future problems by encouraging gene variation.



1,000 Miles Above the Glass Ceiling

Flight Engineer Christina Koch takes a selfie on the International Space Station's first all-female spacewalk. She and fellow astronaut Jessica Meir successfully replaced a failed power controller on Oct. 18. The history-making spacewalk was rescheduled from March due to a lack of properly fitting spacesuits.

Going Viral

A Chinese health official takes the temperature of a quarantined woman in the Shandong province of China in February, checking for signs of the coronavirus. Over 75,000 were affected by February, and the death toll was higher than the 2002-2003 SARS outbreak, leading global health professionals worried it could turn into an international pandemic. Governments enacted quarantines, and airlines rerouted flights to specific airports for passengers to be screened for symptoms.

Where's the Beef?

Burger King's Impossible Whopper looks and tastes like its traditional beef-based twin but is made entirely from plants. Plant-based substitutes from brands like Impossible Foods and Beyond Meat were available at popular fast food restaurants like Burger King, Carl's Jr./Hardees and KFC. Concerns about health and factory farming's contributions to climate change caused a rise in demand for plant-based foods.

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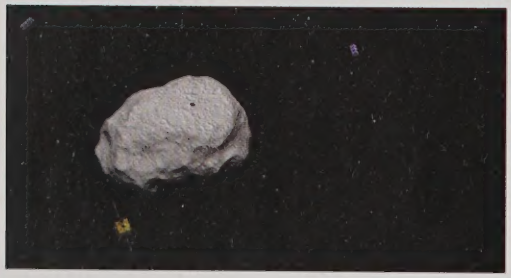
Scoot Along

A rider uses an electric scooter to get around. Companies like Bird and Lime started offering these dockless electric scooters to rent for short periods of time, and they quickly grew in popularity. By the end of 2019, they were available in most major metropolitan centers and could be picked up anywhere using a mobile app.



Keeping the Asteroids at Bay

NASA is now several steps closer to being able to divert asteroids from the earth's orbit. The Double Asteroid Redirection Test team announced plans to deliberately crash the DART spacecraft into the asteroid Didymos. NASA selected the SpaceX Falcon 9 rocket to launch DART in late summer of 2021.

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Environmental activist Greta Thunberg delivers an impassioned speech at the Climate Action Summit of the United Nations General Assembly in September. The 16-year-old gained international attention for organizing global climate strikes demanding action on climate change, which four million people attended. She was named *TIME*® Magazine's Person of the Year and nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize.

Burn Out

Members of the indigenous Huni Kuni tribe in Brazil take in the damage to their burnt land. The Amazon rainforest fires caused global concerns and raged for months. Research showed that the number of active fires in August 2019 was almost three times as high as August 2018.

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